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TROUBLESOME WIVES SLAIN

Otto Mueller Admits Killing of Three More,

IN A CONFESSION TO THE CORONER

Apparently Regrets That He Makes Admission.

Is Given the Third Degree Today by Coroner Savage of Suffolk County in the Hope of Securing More Light on His Past Life—Police Believe That Mueller Has a Long List of Victims.

Islip, L. I., Oct. 28.—Coroner Savage of Suffolk county, with representatives of the district attorney's office and a stenographer, is giving Frederick Gebhardt, alias Otto Mueller, a real "third degree" examination today, endeavoring to have him clear up his early life and explain what he meant when he declared to the coroner last night that he had killed other women beside Anna Luther, and wanted to "make a clean breast of it." Gebhardt, after making that statement, seemed to regret it, and although pressed for some time, stubbornly refused to say anything more.

"I guess it's all up with me," the coroner alleges Gebhardt said to him. "You have the goods on me all right. I might as well make a clean breast of it. I married three other women and I killed all of them. I will tell you the whole story tomorrow."

Working with Police.

The coroner is working in conjunction with the New York police and firmly believes that he has in his custody one of the most remarkable criminals ever arrested. It is his opinion, from what he has already learned in the course of his investigations, that the prisoner is a member of an international band who make a practice of marrying women for a consideration, robbing and deserting them. The band, according to the coroner, found most of its victims among the immigrant servant girls, who save their wages, only to lose them when they try to exchange them for a husband and a home.

Mueller professed to be greatly surprised when informed the authorities had learned of his arrest and sentence on May 11, 1896, to Sing Sing prison for robbery and perjury. The robbery consisted of stealing $340 from Lena Wessner of Brooklyn, whom he had promised to marry, and the perjury charge resulted from his swearing that he had not married a woman in Germany several years before, which statement was proven false.

Troublesome Ones Killed.

For this he served nine years in Sing Sing prison, and it was through a comparison of his Bertillion records after his arrest last Monday with those on record at police headquarters in New York that his identity was established.

The similarity between the Wessner and the Luther women's cases leads the local authorities to believe that when Gebhardt's entire record is uncovered it will be found that he had many victims. They believe that he robbed such as he could get the money from without a ceremony and that where the ceremony was performed, he put his victim out of the way if she proved troublesome.

They base this belief on the statement of Gebhardt's Astaria wife, that when she refused to deed ten lots that were in her name over to him, he beat her terribly and told her that he would kill her.

The authorities struck a snag, when they tried to get Gebhardt to talk today. He insisted that he did not mean to be understood as declaring that he killed three wives. As a matter of fact, he insisted, he has been married but twice, once to his Astoria wife and the second time to Anna Luther in Newark.

The authorities do not believe him and the New York detectives will try to trace Gebhardt's movements from the time he came to this country.

Two Burned to Death.

New York, Oct. 28.—Herman Tiedt, aged thirty-four, and his wife, Emma, twenty-seven, were burned to death, and fourteen others were seriously burned as the result of an incendiary fire which today destroyed two three-story tenement houses on east Fifteenth street. The monetary damage is $50,000.

A GREAT LOT OF DISEASED MEAT

Is Discovered in Cities by Government Inspectors.

St Louis, Mo., Oct. 28.—Following the alleged discovery of thousands of pounds of diseased meats in St Louis and the group of cities situated in Illinois across the river from St. Louis, Rice P. Steddan, chief of the inspection service of the bureau of animal industry, Washington, with four assistants, arrived in East St. Louis today for a thorough inspection of the packing plants. It is said that an investigation of every department of the plants of the government inspection there will be made. The inspection will be secret.

It is declared that diseased meat has been found by buyers and that much of it has been refused and is hanging in coolers. Hundreds of pounds of diseased sausage, it is said, has also been found.

IF NOT FOR WOMEN, THEN FOR NOBODY

Is the Doctrine of London Suffragettes Regarding Ballot.

London, Oct. 28.—With the idea that if women can not enjoy the ballot, the ballot should be enjoyed by no one, Mrs Alice Chapin, a suffragette, today attempted to destroy the ballots in an election booth at the Bermondsey election by smashing a bottle of corrosive acid upon the ballot box and throwing the contents about the booth.

At the same time another similar attempt was made by a young girl wearing the suffragette colors.

Mrs. Chapin succeeded in badly burning some of the election officers in the booth, but the other attempt was a total failure. In neither case were the ballots injured.

ORGANIZED FOR ASSASSINATION

Is a Society of Koreans, the Japs Believe.

POINT TO DEATH OF THE AMERICAN

Who Is the Adviser of Japanese Government.

Believe That His Death Is the Result of the Action of Same Band Which Is Held To Be Responsible for the Death of Prince Ito. Dragnet Out for Members of the Society.

Tokyo, Oct. 28.—Nine Koreans, arrested by the Russian police in the general dragnetting of Harbin that followed the assassination of Prince Ito, will be turned over to the Japanese authorities as suspected accomplices of the slayer. The Russian police have been ordered by St Petersburg to turn over all suspects to Japan.

The Japanese authorities here and in Korea are determined to trace the plot, which they are sure existed, to its source. The feeling is that the assassination was the result of the machinations of a widely organized Korean clan and that the leaders must be brought to justice to prevent similar killings.

See a Conspiracy.

The press advocates an immediate investigation of the most thorough nature in Korea. It is pointed out that following the shooting of Durham White Stevens, the American advisor of the Japanese government in Korea, in San Francisco, in 1908, the accomplice of I. W. Chang, Stevens' slayer, escaped.

The demand is made that the government scour Korea and China, where the refugee is certainly concealed.

The killing of both Stevens and Ito, who worked side by side, in Korea for Japan, is considered ample indication that the Koreans have a secret organization for assassination. The accomplice of Stevens' slayer, it is claimed, would hold the key to the plot.

Despatches from Harbin say that the assassin of Prince Ito has been identified by a former editor of a Seoul newspaper as a member of a band which planned to kill Ito, thirty men being selected and sworn to murder the prince. He said the several plots discovered while the prince was resident general of Korea were attempts by other members to fulfill their oaths.

BRYAN CLASHES WITH GOVERNOR

Intimates He Would Like To Write Platform

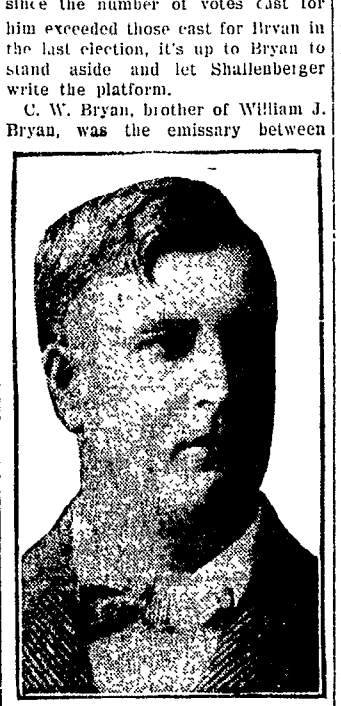
FOR DEMOCRACY OF HIS HOME STATE

Mr. Bryan Would Also Like To Be Senator.

Shallenberger Refuses To Asquiesce in Proposition and Asserts That Since He Has Decided To Seek Reelection as State Executive He Will Make His Own Platform. Not Interested in Bryan's Hopes.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 28.—William J. Bryan and Governor Shallenberger are at loggerheads over the question as to who shall write the next Democratic state platform in Nebraska, and Shallenberger has not only refused to get out of the way of Mr. Bryan, but has said that since the number of votes cast for him exceeded those cast for Bryan in the last election, it's up to Bryan to stand aside and let Shallenberger write the platform.

C. W. Bryan, brother of William J. Bryan, was the emissary between



GOVERNOR SHALLENBERGER.
In Controversy With William J. Bryan Over Nebraska Platform.

Bryan and Shallenberger. He is quoted as saying to Shallenberger that since his brother desires very much to make the run for senator in Nebraska he also wants to write the platform of the party. Shallenberger refused, and announced that as a candidate for governor he would write his own platform, and Bryan could do as he pleased about the senator business.

THE PLANET MARS VERY HARD HIT

Scientists Say Recent Disturbance Destroys Life on Planet.

London, Oct 28. The journal of the British Astronomical association, referring to the changes observed in Mars in September, says these phenomena are unparalleled in past records The obliteration of the markings on the surface of the planet by a gloomy yellow veil indicates some catastrophe on a gigantic scale, from cataclysms which dwarf the most violent tellurian earthquake. Maybe the abnormal electrical conditions of the sun, which, according to Sir Oliver Lodge, the noted scientist, caused the recent magnetic storm on the earth, had a far more terrible influence on Mars. They may have unloosed forces which, if Professor Lowell's theory concerning life on Mars is correct, may have ended forever the Martians' struggle for life.

HE PROMISES TO RUSH WORK

Ballinger Returns from Inspection of Reclamation Projects.

Washington, Oct. 28. — Secretary of the Interior Ballinger has returned to Washington after an inspection of irrigation projects, forest reserves, Indian schools and other things which come under his department.

The secretary states that the studies made by him of the reclamation work now going on have inspired him with an ambition to complete existing projects as rapidly as business and money available will permit

A guest may be as glad to go as the host is to have him

A TWO-YEAR-OLD BABE AS HOSTAGE

For the Payment of Young Mother's Board Bill.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 28.—Pretty, cooing two-year-old Neil Stydocker is home again today after being held several weeks as a hostage for a board bill, his mother is happy, all the neighbors are satisfied that they did their duty in helping straighten things out, and the good caliph, W. W. Bennett, who paid the board bill, is back again among his own babies. Bennett says he doesn't take much stock in caliphs and that Arabian Nights stuff, but he says: "When I read about that poor young mother missing the greatest thing in life, and the baby, too, for that matter, I just told my wife I would pay the board bill myself. Is that a caloph's stunt?"

So Bennett and Mrs. Emma Stydocker went to Mrs. George Hall, with whom the mother and child had boarded until hard times made a move necessary. Mrs. Hall had been keeping the child since August 1, and when Mrs. Stydocker wanted him back a few days ago, she refused, declaring she would hold the child to ransom until the board was paid.

The two women cried, neighbors came in and testified, and finally Bennett persuaded Mrs. Hall to let him pay the bill and carry the baby home for Mrs. Stydocker Mrs. Hall says she thought she was to have been allowed to adopt little Neil.

Spanish Cortes Prorogued.

Madrid, Oct. 28.—The cortes has been prorogued. The government has directed the Catalonian authorities not to execute anybody else sentenced to death without the government's confirmation of the sentence.

IS THREATENED WITH ASYLUM

Architect Claims He Is Master of the World.

FIGHTS AGAINST HIS COMMITMENT

Relatives of Kennard Claim He Is Insane.

They Say They Fear He Will Waste His Money—Spends Large Sums of Money in the Publication of a Book of Messages He Claims He Receives from God—A Remarkable Piece of Literature.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Declaring he is the reincarnation of David and is the master of the world, Dewitt T. Kennard, thirty-five, a wealthy architect, began a fight in court against commitment to the Dunning asylum for the insane. Kennard declares he is in full possession of his faculties and there is nothing repugnant to reason in his claims The petition for commitment was filed by Kennard's relatives who allege that he is clearly insane and who fear he would waste his money They point out that Kennard has written a volume entitled "Extracts from God's Messages to His Beloved Son David," and that he has spent large sums on the publication of this book.

The book is a pretentious volume, and is pronounced by many as a remarkable piece of literature.

Inspired by God.

Kennard declares it is the new Bible and is directly inspired by God. The book is a clever imitation of the style of the Bible.

Kennard's defense is that many men might claim to be the reincarnation of ancient personages without being insane He points out that John Alexander Dowie claimed to be the reincarnation of Elijah, and no one questioned his sanity. Counsel for the defendant declare the constitution of the United States guarantees freedom of religious thought and that his claims are merely religious thought and nothing more

A large number of witnesses have been summoned, and a sensational trial is expected

Delaware Exceeds Contract Speed.

Washington, D. C. 28.—The official speed of the battleship Delaware, which had her standardization trial off Rockland, Me., several days ago, was 21.563 knots per hour. The Delaware is the first one of the Dreadnaughts of the American navy. She has a displacement of 21,000 tons and her contract speed is 21 knots per hour.

FEDERAL JUDGE CENSURES LOEB

The Latter Admits Retaining Grafters in Service.

WHOLESALE FRAUDS BROUGHT TO LIGHT

New York Importer Pleads Guilty to Charges,

When Three Employes of New York Office Admit Acceptance of Bribes, Say They Are Promised Immunity and Retention of Jobs in Exchange for Testimony—Collector Explains.

New York, Oct. 28. — At the end of the Musica case in the United States circuit court, when young Philip Musica, an importer, had pleaded guilty of participation in weighing frauds and the indignant comment from Judge Holt that Collector Loeb's action in retaining self-confessed thieves in the customs service was discreditable to the government and an injustice to honest men, some big importers believed that the whole graft system could be ended by a fair course of dealing in Collector Loeb's office.

Scores of merchants who deal in imported goods have been gouged for years by the graft system in the customs service. They submitted to it, they explain, because they had to get their shipments into their warehouses, and strict honesty was not possible with many customs men. It took cash in the hand and a smiling acquiescence in grand larceny to enable them to keep their heads above water in an unfair business competition brought about by the grafting in the service.

Importers who have been held up for years by the grafting of custom house inspectors and weighers, declare that the whole customs service in this city is rotten from the bottom upward. How far up the rottenness extended few of them could guess, because the beautifully complete system of robbing the government through false weights and returns and collecting bribes for prompt service, forced the importers to deal only with little crooks.

Little Crooks Are Busy.

The little crooks ran around on the edge of a wheel of graft, taking the name of a fruit for a password, and doing business over straight whisky in the back rooms of waterside bars. Who lay quietly in the center of the wheel and along the spokes, taking a fat share of the blackmail the little crooks collected, is a matter which interests men who have been forced for years, they say, to be dishonest themselves in order to get their goods handled by the petty officials of the customs house. The small importers and the custom house brokers say that they are eager to know who benefits most by the practice in the customs service of corrupting importers.

Before the end of the trial of young Musica, Judge Holt remarked: "I want to refer to one matter which has appeared in evidence here, and that is the testimony of these three government witnesses to the effect that, in addition to their being promised immunity from prosecution in this case, they were promised retention in their offices in the custom house. It is necessary some times that the evidence of accomplices should be forgotten, and for that purpose it is proper to grant them immunity, but I have never heard before of such a practice as promising to continue men in the public service after they have confessed the commission of crimes in the office, and I desire to express the emphatic disapprobation of this court of any such practice."

William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port, was the man who granted immunity to the three thieves. It was understood that Judge Holt's rebuke applied to Mr. Loeb. Mr. Loeb himself took it that way. He issued a statement defending his course on the score that it was necessary to keep the three on his payroll because that was the only way the whole system of graft could be uprooted.

Peruvian Ministers Resign.

Lima, Peru, Oct. 27.—Dr. Melton Porras, minister of foreign affairs, and Augustin de la Torre Gonzales, minister of finance, have resigned.

save as to these bonds."

Put an orange or lemon in the jar with newly made sweet cakes or cookies, and it will give them a delicate flavor. Dried orange or lemon peel will do the same.

FIRST WOMAN TO STEER AEROPLANE

Is the Wife of Captain Ralph H. Van Deman.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The first woman to steer an aeroplane. This is the proud boast of Mrs Ralph H. Van Deman, wife of an army officer, who, yesterday, went aloft with Wilbur Wright at College park and who was so excited that it wasn't until today that she thought to mention that Wilbur had let her manage the levers for a brief moment.

"While we were flying," explained Mrs. Van Deman, "Wilbur nudged me and shouted that I could take the levers if I wasn't afraid. I leaned forward and seized them. His hands remained near in case of an emergency.

"There was no appreciable difference after I took the levers, except that I began to feel in myself the power of mastery of the air.

"I was lost in the glorious feeling that I was flying—flying through the early morning air as a bird when it awakes and takes wing. You can not imagine what a beautiful sight the earth is from an aeroplane.

"I intend to have one of my own before very long. When Mr. Wright turned the levers over to me and I realized I was controlling the machine, I knew then that I would never be satisfied until I could fly whenever I should feel like it. When I purchase my aeroplane Mr. Wright promised to become my instructor until I understand thoroughly how to operate it."

Four Negroes Lynched.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 28.—Four negroes were lynched in Kemper county, Mississippi, this morning, after they had murdered an Assyrian peddler, named Kahn.

447 PERSONS ARE EXECUTED

In European Russia from January 1 to October 1.

MAJORITY OF THEM ARE NOT CRIMINALS

But Those Who Have Offended Politically.

In Addition to Those Executed, 591 Others Have Been Condemned to Death and Have Not Yet Been Executed—Since September 30 the Ratio of Official Killings Has Rapidly Increased.

St. Petersburg, via Eydkuhnen, Oct. 28.—One thousand and thirty-eight persons were condemned to death throughout European Russia during the first nine months of the present year, and 447 of them were executed, according to official figures made public today. No attempt was made by the government to conceal the figures, but such comment as gives them their real significance would certainly not be passed by the censorship, and even to offer it for transmission might be dangerous. Were the condemnations only those of ordinary criminals, the large number would suggest no more than a condition of extraordinary lawlessness throughout the Czar's domain. The fact is that capital punishment is never inflicted in Russia by the civil courts and that even the most brutal murderers escape with terms in Siberia.

The 447 persons who suffered death between January 1 and September 30 were, therefore, political offenders who were tried before military instead of civil tribunals for the express purpose of making their execution possible. Unofficial but absolutely trustworthy information shows that since September 30 the number of condemnations has increased rapidly and that in the past three weeks, the country is averaging seven daily of which half are executed.

Makes Shortage Good.

Columbus, O., Oct. 28.—Edward L. Kimes, former superintendent of Forest cemetery, at Toledo, is found to have been short in his accounts $12,711.12. He made the shortage good in full, October 27, the day before the expert report was filed. This is the showing of State Examiners Wilbur E. Baker and Franklin A. Parmalee, made to the state bureau of accounting, Thursday morning. Kimes is now clerk of the courts of Lucas county.

MAN CHASE IN THE OHIO PEN

Harry Johnson Is the Central Figure in It.

A SECOND BOLD ATTEMPT MADE

To Scale the Walls of the Penitentiary.

The Negro Burglar Is Superbly Equipped for the Attempt—Not Only Is He Possessed of Extra Suit of Clothes and a Weapon, but Also of a Fifty-Foot Wire Ladder and a Life Belt.

Columbus, O., Oct. 28.—Harvey Johnson, Franklin county life prisoner, who figured in a sensational three-day hide-out at the penitentiary in May, was frustrated in a second bold attempt to scale the walls early this morning after several shots had been fired in an exciting chase.

Johnson's second attempt was cunningly planned. At 2.50 he called Guard Hudnut to his cell in the new hall, and asked to be taken to the hospital. As they reached the hospital steps, Johnson swung on Hudnut with an iron bar, which he had secreted in his blouse. Momentarily stunned, the guard permitted Johnson to disappear in the darkness, after firing twice.

Johnson rushed to Deputy Warden Charles Resch's home, across the street. Resch issued orders to double the guard on the walls. A half hour later, while on the top of the Administration building, Guard M. G. Robinson saw Johnson's crouching figure on the top of a fifty-foot telegraph pole, about thirty feet from the roof of the main building. Fearing to fire toward the cell block, he gave the alarm and Johnson hurriedly shinned down the pole.

Pursuit Is Hot.

Reaching the ground, he started across the lawn for the pavilion, with Resch and a posse of guards in pursuit. In the moonlight, Johnson's flying figure was plainly discernible.

After warning the man to stop, Resch fired twice with his Winchester. Johnson dropped in his tracks apparently dead. On reaching him, they found that he was merely feigning, but fearing further fire, was ready to give up. He was immediately hustled to solitary confinement.

When searched in solitary, the cunning of Johnson's well-planned attempt was uncovered.

Under his striped prison garb were a pair of old prison pants, too grimy to show the convict marking. The white longitudinal stripe had been cut out and sewed over. In his hip pocket the guards found an ugly four-inch dagger, crudely fashioned from a piece of rough steel.

Long Wire Ladder.

But the masterpiece of his equipment was a fifty-foot wire-rope ladder, wrapped around his chest, and a strong belt with a pulley attachment. It was designed to span the thirty-foot interval between the top of the pole and the roof of the main building, from which descent would have been comparatively easy. Heavy wires run across the gap. Johnson had planned to attach the belt to these, and through the pulleys, acting as a lever, pull himself across. He then proposed to go over the eaves to the irregular spouting with his rude ladder—made from wire cuttings and torn bed clothing.

The arc that swings near the pole, and gave his presence there away, was the factor that resulted in his failure.

Johnson is a bad man. He is now serving his second term in the penitentiary, this time for entering an inhabited Columbus dwelling. He was caught after a series of startling burglaries which terrorized this city. He has served a previous term in the Mansfield reformatory also.

Doesn't Abandon Bryan.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Norman Mack says he has not repudiated Bryan. The chairman of the Democratic national committee declared today the placing of such construction on the prominence given to Governor Harmon, of Ohio, and his recent Texas speech, in Mack's national magazine, was unwarranted.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Treasury statement: Receipts $2,716,371; disbursements $1,358,089.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Boys' Suits $2.48.

Knickerbocker Pants style, light grey cloth, neat, stylish make, cuffs on sleeves and pants full cut, not skimpy like most suits at..... $2.48

Boys' Suits $3.48.

Knickerbocker Pants style, hard finished and Scotch cloths, herringbone and shadow stripe patterns. Coats are lined with good quality sclisea.

Boys' Suits $3.98.

Knickerbocker Pants style, slate color cloth with neat stripes, fancy cuffs and long lapels, making a neat and attractive suit for boy from 9 to 17.

Boys' Suits $5.00.

Knickerbocker Pants style, blue serges, Scotch and worsteds, dark and light olives, made with double cuffs, pants are lined, making them warm, durable.

SPECIAL PANT PURCHASE *Half-wool Knickerbocker Pant for boys', heavy material, taped seams, hip pocket. Special price* **50c**

Boys' Tan Gauntlet Gloves, lined, at..... 48c

Heavy Bear Skin Hose for boys' or girls', at..... 15c

"Near Fur" Gauntlet Gloves for boys..... 48c

Boys' Caps with fur lined ear tabs..... 25c

Boys' and Girl's Shoes, high top gun metal or kid $1.50

Boys' Wright's Health Underwear here at..... 48c

GIRLS' KNIT COATS $1.69

KLEINMAIERS.

BOYS' KNIT COATS $1.00

UNITED IN MARRIAGE AT PASTOR'S HOME

Mrs. Maggie E. Drake and Mr. L. E. Delauder.

La Rue, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—Mrs. Maggie E. Drake and Mr. Lawson E. Delauder, both of Marion, were united in marriage by Rev. J. A. Sutton at his residence, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Delauder is employed in the Marion Steam Shovel shops.

Mr. and Mrs. Delauder will reside on Columbia street, in Marion.

The trouble is that when a man tries to forget a woman she won't let him.

You Can Make Money Go Farthest Here

because we want the money and the stock must be reduced.

98 Cold Blast Lanterns	69c
60c Tubular Lanterns	39c
75c dash Lanterns	49c
Cast steel Hatchets	25c
Cracker Jack Corn Popper	15c
Boys' handled Axes	39c
Men's handled Axes	69c
Double bitted Axes	48c
Hand saw Vises	39c
Carpenters' Braces	20c
Carpenters' Ratchet Brace	48c
Carpenters' nickle plated Ratchet Brace, 69c and	89c
26-inch steel Hand Saw	39c
Cast steel Claw Hammer	35c
Cast steel Machinist Hammer	39c
Cast steel Riveting Hammer	25c
File Handles, each	1c
Sand Paper, 2 sheets	1c
Large Heel Plates, pair	1c
Moulding Hooks, dozen	5c
Wall paper Cleaner	8c

The Racket Store.

MOTHERS' COUNCIL AT KUEHNER HOME

Members of Council Enjoy a Nice Program.

SEVERAL GUESTS ARE ENTERTAINED

Prospect Lecture Course Is Arranged for the Coming Winter—Affair Is Given in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stiffler, of Altoona, Pennsylvania—Prospect Notes.

Prospect, Oct. 28.—[Special.]—The Mothers' council met with Mrs. Herman Kuehner, Thursday afternoon. A pleasing program was rendered and dainty refreshments served. Mrs. Nettie Gilmore, Mrs. C. J. Cummings, Mrs. Charles Ramey, Mrs. D. Fritch, Mrs. Jessie Fritch, Mrs. N. C. Gast, Mrs. Samuel Treese and Miss Edna Pfiley were guests of the council.

George Wolfley, of Radnor; Silas and J. L. Wolfley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barth, of Delaware; Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Simons, of Columbus, were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. F. M. Adams, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collmer, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Schelling.

Miss Bess McCausland was in Columbus, Monday.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Stiffler, of Altoona, Pennsylvania, who have been visiting relatives here, Misses Maggie and Abbie Stiffler entertained the following guests, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Christian Almendinger, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Stiffler, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Stiffler, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. George Stiffler and son, Emmett, of Marion. Mr. and Mrs. Stiffler returned to their home in Altoona, Monday.

Mrs. Robert Wilkinson and daughter, Isabelle, who have been the guests of Miss Sarah Watkins and other relatives the past two months, returned Wednesday to their home at Mitchell, South Dakota.

Mrs. J. N. Freeman attended the Women's Home Missionary convention of the Findlay district in session at Bluffton, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. N. Freeman and Mrs. A. L. Gast were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Barnes in Findlay several days this week.

The following members comprise the lecture course for Prospect during the coming season: "The Royal Hand-Bell Ringers," Sylvester A. Long, lecturer; George D. Alden, lecturer; Alton Packard, cartoonist; Elma B. Smith company, musical.

Mrs. Benjamin Solomon was given a miscellaneous shower at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Almendinger, Tuesday evening. About ninety were present and Mrs. Solomon received a number of useful presents. A nice supper was enjoyed.

William Herr, of Lima, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Herr and other relatives the past week.

Mrs. George Cook, of Marion, was a Prospect visitor, Thursday.

Mrs. G. H. Masters and Mrs Millie Wyatt visited their sister, Mrs. J. F. Wottring, at Green Camp, Friday.

Mrs. Aletha Wydick and son, Ray, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Isler, Saturday and Sunday, and returned to their home in Decatur, Illinois, Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Wottring, of Marion, was the guest of her brother, Dr. B. F. Wottring, and family several days this week.

Miss Mattie Stiffler visited her friend, Miss Madge Drumm, at Richwood, from Friday to Monday.

Mrs. A. W. Wells, of Cardington, visited her sister, Mrs. W. R. Lauer, several days last week.

Mrs. Henry Landis spent part of last week with relatives in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davids, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gast visited relatives at Galion, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Decker and Mrs. Elizabeth Smeltzer were entertained, Friday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Van Houten at Woodland.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fritch spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Fritch in Marion.

Mrs. Thomas Beavers, of Perrysville, visited her son, H. D. Beavers, and family, last week.

Mrs. Harry Thomas, Mrs. E. P. Curtis, Mrs. W. W. Ocker, Mrs. Clarence Herr, Mrs. Nettie Gilmore, Misses Millicent Biggerstaff, Ruth Freeman and Clara Cope attended the Nordica concert at Delaware, Friday evening.

Mrs. J. J. Roberts and daughter, Daisy, were Marion visitors, Monday.

Mrs. Fred Sauer and sister, Mrs. Walter Hershey, of Ashley, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. R. T. Pan, in Cleveland, the past week.

A DOUBLE WEDDING AT PASTOR'S HOME

Young People Join Their Fortunes, Wednesday.

Rev. J. W. Holland, of the M. E. church, of Upper Sandusky, officiated at a double wedding at his home, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when Miss Ethel F. Hottman, of that city, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry A. Cook, of Morral, and her brother, Correl G. Hottman became the husband of Miss Alma M. Clabaugh, of north of Upper Sandusky.

The young people were unattended. After the ceremony the bridal couples enjoyed a wedding dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clabaugh parents of Mrs. Hottman. At the dinner, aside from the brides and grooms, were the immediate relatives.

MR. FRANK SWANEY WINS MISS PONTIUS

Friends at Prospect Are Given a Surprise.

Prospect, Oct. 28.—[Special.]—The many friends of Mr. Frank Swaney, son of Mrs. F. H. Swaney, of this place, will be surprised to learn of his marriage, Wednesday morning, at Windsor, Canada, to Miss Bernice Pontius, of Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Swaney went to Windsor on a short pleasure trip, were married and returned to Prospect, Wednesday evening, when their marriage became known and their friends gave them an old-fashioned belling.

Mr. Swaney is engaged in the mercantile business, conducting a general store here.

Settles the Matter.

Bernie J. Harding, who was arrested in St. Louis and returned to Mt. Gilead last week for failing to provide for his minor child, Elmer, who lives with his mother, northeast of Cardington, settled by paying Mrs. Harding $300 and paying all the costs, which amounted to that much more.

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING AT DENMAN HOME

Miss Denman Marries Mr. Harvey Martin.

REV. D. H. BAILEY PERFORMS CEREMONY

A Company of Friends and Relatives of the Young People Witness the Marriage Rites—A Number Present from Out of the City—Mr. and Mrs. Martin To Reside in City.

Miss Grace Helen Denman, accomplished and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Denman, and Mr. Harvey S. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Martin, of east Center street, were united in marriage at the bride's home on south State street, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30.

The parlors were garlanded with feathery fern, palms and white chrysanthemums in the front parlor, and almost under a canopy of greenery and white blossoms the ceremony was performed by Rev. David H. Bailey, of the Methodist Episcopal church, the impressive Episcopal ring service being used.

Before the ceremony little Misses Mae Williams, of Cardington, and Alice Domeny, of Columbus, gowned in dainty frocks, spread wide satin ribbon from the grill work in the hall to the bower of flowers and ferns where the ceremony was to take place. Miss Jessie Lippincott seated at the piano played softly the bridal chorus from Loehngrin as the bridal party came into the room. The bride entered on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, and met the groom and the groomsman, Mr. Frank Martin, of Bellevue, at the improvised altar. She was gowned in white chiffon built over white silk with a garniture of Irish baby lace. She wore no veil but a wreath of dainty pink buds rested upon her hair. The bride carried a white prayer-book, and without ornaments of any sort was a picture of sweet simplicity. There were no attendants, but her girl friends made attractive groups throughout the rooms. At the close of the ceremony Mendelssohn's wedding march was played.

The dining room presented the same greenery with pink chrysanthemums. The bride's table was beautiful in ropes of green falling from the chandelier to the snowy cloth, and a huge bunch of pink beauties and cut glass candelabras with lighted candles and pink shades. A buffet lunch was served at which time pink carnations and beautiful little white boxes tied with liberty satin ribbon and containing wedding cake were given the guests.

After a season of congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Martin left for a short wedding trip, their destination not being announced. Upon their return they will reside in a cozy flat in the Denman apartments at No. 519½ west Center street where they will be at home to their friends.

The invited guests from out the city were Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Buntingham, Mrs. Burch, Dr. and Mrs. George Jones, of Toledo; Miss Marie Shenk, of Kokomo, Indiana; Miss Corinne Russell, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Rhinehart, of Youngstown; Miss Mary Huber, of Marysville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, of Bellevue; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denman, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. William Bryant, Mr. Paul Bryant, Mr. Bert Denman and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickey, of Frederichtown; Mrs. Shipley and Mr. George Shipley, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Hoffer, of Jamestown, New York; Dr. and Mrs. Lewis, of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Miller, Mr. Verner Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith, of Napoleon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, of Shelby, and Mr. and Mrs. John Glauner, of Mt. Gilead.

MARRIAGE SERVICE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Guider and Mr. Everett J. Nichols Married.

At the Calvary Evangelical parsonage, Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. E. L. Weatherwax united in marriage Miss Agnes Fay Guider and Mr. Everett J. Nichols, both of this city. They were attended by Miss Edith Mayer and Mr. Arthur Augenstine.

After the ceremony the young people were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Radcliff, of south Seffner avenue. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Nichols left for the southern part of the state on a short wedding journey. Returning they will reside at No. 814 Wilson avenue.

Public Sale.

One mile west of Green Camp, Wednesday, November 3, at 9:30 a. m.—at auction. Six horses, 30 cattle, 58 sheep, 25 hogs—and a big complete stock of farm implements, harness, etc. 800 shocks of corn and hay in mow. Twelve months credit. Lunch served. Mrs. Gottlieb Keller.

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The egg market paying 28 cents. wk R. T. Lewis & Co.

MRS. MAUD HOWALD VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

Is Struck by an Interurban Car Near Norton.

BROUGHT TO MARION AND GIVEN ATTENTION

Woman Suffers a Fracture of the Right Leg and Many Bad Cuts and Bruises—Misjudges the Distance of Car from Her and Remains on the Track Too Long.

Mrs. Maud Howald was struck by the northbound car on the C., D. & M., due here at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, as the car was pulling up to a crossing near Norton. Mrs. Howald was injured to such an extent that it was necessary to take her aboard the car and telegraph to Prospect for Dr. A. Shuey to meet the car and attend her. Dr. Shuey met the car and accompanied the injured woman to this city and had her removed to the Central Emergency hospital, where he was assisted by Dr. A. Rhu.

Mrs. Howald left her parents' home near Norton with the intention of boarding the car to come to Marion to visit her sister, Mrs. F. C. Detwiler, of south Prospect street. Seeing the car coming as she neared the crossing and fearing that it would not stop, she rushed up to the track and waived to the motorman. The motorman had the car going at a good speed, but had seen the signal of the woman and intended stopping.

Mrs. Howald was deceived as to the distance the car was away from her and remained on the track waiving to the motorman until the car was nearly upon her. The motorman expected the woman to step from the track, but she did not move from her position and the motorman was unable to stop the car until after it had struck her. She was rendered partially unconscious as a result of the blow.

On examination at the hospital Mrs. Howald was found to be suffering of a compound fracture of the right leg midway between the knee and ankle, her nose was broken, a cut was inflicted above her right eye, her left hand was badly bruised and the index finger of her right hand was injured. She also suffered a number of small bruises and scratches.

THE ENUMERATORS VERY INQUISITIVE

Walking Interrogation Points for the Government.

MANY QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED

Enumerators Are Not Allowed To Guess the Age of Any Person and People When Questioned Must Answer—The Work of Taking Census Not Always Most Pleasant.

Uncle Sam's census takers will be putting in their appearance in Marion before a great while. They will ask a lot of questions, among them your age, and the enumerators are not allowed to guess like some of the registration officials did when a few school board "suffragettes" refused to tell how many years time had tolled for them.

If some of the enumerators should happen to ask you whether you are black or white, you must curb your temper, because he is not supposed to know from your looks; his instructions are to ask and find out. Another question these inquisitive individuals are certain to ask is how you make your living, whether or not you own property or whether you are married and have any heirs.

Some people might get the idea that the enumerators don't have to know so much, but they are paid for learning all about you.

Enumerators in the rural districts will receive five dollars a day and will have a month in which to complete their work. The city enumerators are allowed only two weeks.

The counting of noses is not the only work of these enumerators by any means, for they must find out how many butchers, bakers, etc., are in Marion county; how many can read and write, whether they are native or foreign born and even whether or not they have been in the divorce courts.

In addition to the growth of the city during the past ten years, the census will show how many own their own homes and how many pay rent. The number of manufactories and their output will also be enumerated.

It's a job to take the census, but there are always a lot of fellows who want to do the work.

FOR SALE—27 acres northeast of Agosta; also 26 acres southeast of Agosta. For further information call J. H. Payne, Watkins, Union county. 24-wk-9

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Loose Fitting Fur Coats, thirty inches long, big shawl collar, box front, with large buttons. The Fur is natural length, not clipped. Black and Brown.... $25.00

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A cut of the Huber steam roller at work on Eleventh avenue, Columbus, demonstrating its worth to the delegates to the national congress of road-builders, appeared on the first page of the Ohio State Journal, Wednesday. The roller is attracting much attention.

Motion Overruled.

The motion to quash the indictment against Wilber E. Stillwell, on a charge of kidnaping on the ground that the indictment contained two charges on the same count, was overruled by Judge Scofield at Upper Sandusky, Monday morning.

In Constantinople there are more than eight hundred mosques or temples.

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Choice Lot $25 or $27.50 Suits Now at only $16.95

For these 2 days we picked from our immense stock a splendid lot regular $25.00 to $27.50 newest Fall Suits—coats 42 to 45 inches, pleated skirts—choicest materials—best shades—to sell at this new price (alterations extra) of only $16.95.

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A traveling man's samples. Finest panama, fancy worsteds and broadcloth dresses, in the season's best styles and shades, that ordinarily would retail at $12.50, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00 and $22.50—choice these two days (alterations extra) at only $8.75.

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JUSTICE RUFUS PECKHAM DEAD

End Comes to Him After a Brief Illness

AN APPOINTEE OF CLEVELAND

Is Prominent Figure in New York Politics

Justice Peckham Has a Long Career on the Bench—He Is Said To Have Rejected an Offer Made by David B. Hill To Give Him His Support for the Democratic Nomination for the Presidency

Albany, N Y Oct [illegible] —Associate Justice Rufus W Peckham of the United States supreme court died at his summer home Coolmore in Altamont a short distance from here in the Helderberg mountains On August [illegible] he suffered an attack of indigestion He seemed to recover from this and had notified Chief Justice Fuller of the United States supreme court that he would be ready to resume his work at Washington last week Two weeks ago Justice Peckham's indigestion returned in worse form and complications [illegible] which reached the heart and rendered his condition serious although not critical until within the past day or two

His death was due to [illegible] Arrangements had been made for the removal of the Peckham household to Washington and it was decided to bring Justice Peckham to the Hotel Ten Eyck in Albany this week anticipating that he would recover sufficiently within a short time to resume his duties at Washington

Rufus Wheeler Peckham associate justice of the supreme court of the United States was appointed by President Cleveland in 18[illegible] Prior to that he was associate judge of the court of appeals of this state and prior to that a justice of the supreme court to which he was elected in 1883

Justice Peckham was born in Albany Nov 8 18[illegible] being a son of Rufus Wheeler Peckham and a younger brother of Wheeler Hazard Peckham who was a prominent lawyer of this city He was educated at the Albany academy and then at a school in Philadelphia after which he studied law in his father's office and was admitted to the bar when 21 years old Soon after he became a member of the firm of Peckham & Tremain

Heard Noted Cases

In 1869 he was elected district attorney of Albany county The case of Filkins the express robber was tried during his term of office Later he was engaged in the Johnstown and Gannett murder trials the trial of the Modocs the Sessions [illegible] case and others which created no little sensation at that time Mr Peckham was an ardent and aggressive Democrat He was elected to the supreme court of this state in 1883 and while holding that position in 1886 was elected an associate justice of the supreme court The term of office was 14 years and before that term had expired he was appointed by President Cleveland associate justice of the supreme court of the United States This was in December 189[illegible] For the last two or three years the Justice has not enjoyed good health and there have been many rumors of his retirement

In 1902 Justice Peckham could have been nominated for governor of this state The offer was made to him by Former Governor Hill with the assurance that if elected he would have the support of the state for the presidential nomination in 1912 Justice Peckham declined as he was not a candidate he said for political office even if his election to the two offices were assured

The funeral of Court Justice Rufus W Peckham will be held Wednesday afternoon at [illegible] p m from St Peter's Episcopal church Albany The body will be taken to Albany Wednesday morning and the burial will take place there The pall bearers will be determined later

THEIR BODIES ARE FOUND IN BUGGY

It Is Supposed Leroy Foster Kills Inez Cox and Then Himself

Clay Center Neb Oct [illegible] —A double tragedy accepted by the authorities as a murder and suicide was disclosed today when a farmer four miles from here found the dead bodies of Leroy Foster and Miss Inez Cox in a buggy Both were shot through the heart and near them lay a revolver

Foster was a rural mail carrier twenty two years old and Miss Cox was a stenographer twenty four They went riding together last night Testimony given at the inquest today indicated that Foster had killed the young woman and then himself

CHICAGO PACKER TO BUILD FREIGHT TUBES IN NEW YORK



J. OGDEN ARMOUR

J Ogden Armour the Chicago [illegible] is behind the scheme to build a freight subway system in New York City The plan is to construct a tube under the Hudson and [illegible] river from New Jersey to Long Island and to tunnel [illegible] from a Point near the Battery to Harlem with collateral tubes The tubes will be only fifty four inches in diameter and the cars to be [illegible] will be operated by electricity The franchise under which Mr Armour and his associates hope to build the subways was granted in 18[illegible] The matter is now before the New York transit commission

FUNERAL SERVICES OF MRS FRANCES MILLER

Mrs Miller Is Well Known in This City

The funeral of Mrs Frances Miller who died at her home in Upper Sandusky Sunday morning of [illegible] [illegible] was held at the late home Tuesday at [illegible] o'clock The services were conducted by Rev Joseph [illegible] of Crowport Burial was made in Old Hill cemetery

Mrs Miller who had been an invalid for the past thirteen years was born in France eighty years ago She was the mother of thirteen children seven of whom survive Her husband died thirteen years ago

The following children survive Mrs Mary Griffith of this city Mrs George Welfrum Rose and Matilda Miller and Mrs France Schiller of Upper Sandusky [illegible] Miller of McComb [illegible] Miller of Bridgeport Nebraska Mrs [illegible] Dilley of Raritan New Jersey [illegible] Miller of Belleville Misses [illegible] and Anna Miller of Cleveland

Mrs Miller was a frequent visitor in Marion and was quite well known here

Taken to Workhouse

[illegible] Hunter was taken to the Columbus workhouse by Sheriff John C Stark Monday He was fined $[illegible] and costs and sentenced to serve six months by Judge Bob [illegible] the killing of Rev Culbertson after being found guilty [illegible] by a jury in the common pleas court

TWO KILLED WHEN BOILER EXPLODES

Big Four Freight Wrecked Near Cincinnati

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* * * BY A BACHELOR * * *

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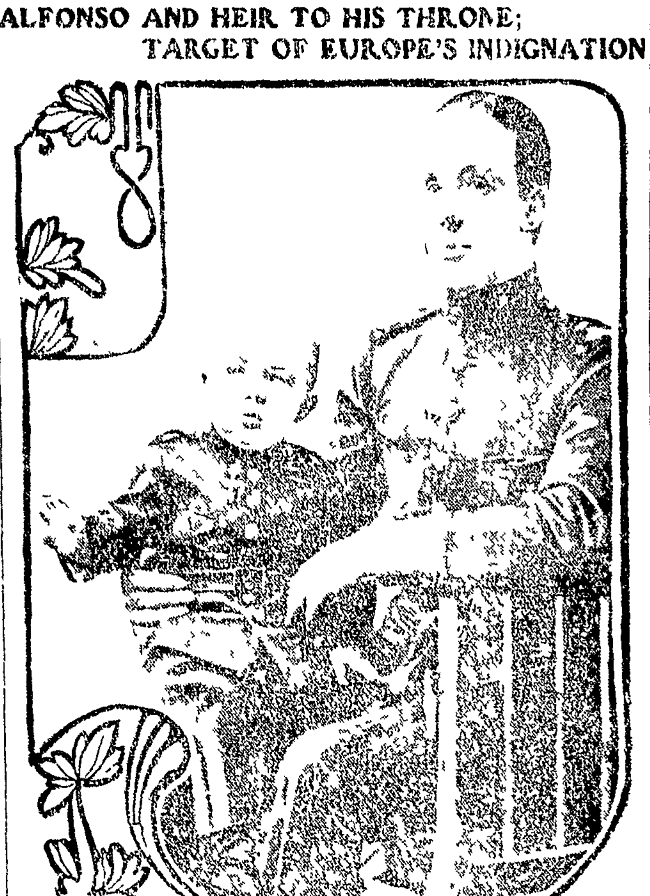
W I BUCHANAN AMERICAN ENVOY WHO DIED ABROAD



WILLIAM I BUCHANAN

William Insco Buchanan the American diplomat who died in London was born in Covington Ohio [illegible] At the time of his death he was formerly minister to Argentina and had [illegible] diplomatic [illegible] in Santa Ana [illegible] contributed much to [illegible] the republic [illegible] conflict Mr Buchanan [illegible] into prominence through [illegible] expositions The Pan American Exposition at Buffalo was one of his triumphs

ALFONSO AND HEIR TO HIS THRONE; TARGET OF EUROPE'S INDIGNATION



[illegible]

CONFESSES TO AWFUL CRIME

Otto Mueller, Alias Gebhardt, Tells Story of Murder

KILLS GIRL WHOSE SKELETON IS FOUND

After a Quarrel Between Them Over a Money Matter

Mueller, Who Is Arrested at Astoria Where He Is Living with a Wife and Two Children, Claims To Have Told Anna Luther of His Marriage Before He Married Her—Mueller Marries Eight Women

New York, Oct 2[illegible] —Frederick Gebhardt alias Otto Mueller made a complete confession this afternoon of the shooting of Anna Luther the woman he married in Newark near [illegible] Long Island April 1908 according to the police of Brooklyn

Mueller has been questioned at great length by the Brooklyn detectives Coroner Savage of Suffolk county and Henry Werpupp of New [illegible] the latter a friend of the murdered woman's parents

Finally under the questioning Mueller broke down the police declare and admitted the killing He stated that he shot her because she had discovered that he had another wife living in Astoria and threatened to prosecute him for bigamy

Acting Police Captain John D Coughlin to whom the confession was made made public a part of it this afternoon

Mueller according to this statement declared that he first met Anna Luther in January 1908 in New York They were married there and then he went with her to Germany where they visited her parents After their return to this country she went back to call on her friends in the New Jersey city and on April 8 he met her there and came to New York with her going direct to the Long Island station where they took a train for Jamaica They remained there that night and the next day he asked her to go with him to Bay Shore Long Island, near Islip where he had property he desired to show her

Crime Is Committed

"After we got there" the statement continues, "we got into an argument about money matters I told her that I was married already but that I did not want to go back to my first wife I told her though that I had a child and that I wanted to [illegible] and would have to go back to do so She wanted me to stay with her and one word brought on another Finally we got to talking about money and I turned to leave her She followed me screaming and I shot her I think I shot her through the head I do not know if I fired once or twice As soon as she fell I ran away and it was getting dusk and there was a train due I went to the Islip station and took the train back to New York On the way I threw the revolver out of the window

"I want to deny the report that I [illegible] her money I did no such thing [illegible] told her that I was married but she had told me that I didn't care that she loved me She [illegible] arms around my neck [illegible] when I told her that I wanted to see my child by my first wife and she wanted me to stay with her Then we had the row about money and I shot her"

Mueller will be held in the Brooklyn [illegible] until this evening when he will be taken to Islip and arraigned on [illegible] the first degree lodged against him

Mueller Is Arrested

Mueller was arrested last night in Astoria where he was living with his wife and two children under the name of Fred Gebhardt

According to the wife with whom he was living when arrested he was [illegible] woman he had married [illegible] of the other seven is [illegible] police will try to [illegible] Mueller today of having [illegible] a number of them

[illegible] when arrested [illegible] dated October [illegible] Mueller or Gebhardt [illegible] there conveyed to [illegible] his property and savings [illegible] attorney [illegible] owned

[illegible] Mrs Berger who [illegible] matrimonial bureau [illegible] Some [illegible] he wrote her from Germany [illegible] money [illegible]

RETIRING ENVOY SOON TO RETURN FROM FRANCE



HENRY WHITE

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Henry White the retiring ambassador to France will arrive in New York before November [illegible] and will attend several banquets which are being arranged in his honor Mr White probably will have some interesting things to say regarding the tariff controversy which is going on between the United States and the French government There is talk in Washington that the French government [illegible] apparent determination to impose maximum tariff rates on imports from this country the government will retaliate by vigorously enforcing the pure food law upon French wines

home on April [illegible] and it was during this period that he married Anna Luther

Mrs Gebhardt [illegible] her husband brought a number of [illegible] to their home and told her that he had bought them [illegible] in Hoboken They [illegible] [illegible] and were filled with household goods women's clothing of fashionable cut and trimmed [illegible] stamped with the initials "A L"

FRIENDS ARE GIVEN PLEASANT SURPRISE

Miss Foot and Mr F S Moriarity Are Wedded

Many of the friends of Miss Nell Foot and Mr F S Moriarity will be surprised to learn of their marriage which was celebrated at Worthington last Friday evening Mrs Foots resided in the city until about three months ago being employed as a night operator at the telephone exchange She went from this city to Springfield where she held a similar position almost up to the time of her marriage

Mr Moriarity formerly resided in Marion being employed as second trick operator at the Pennsylvania station It is understood that the courtship between the contracting parties started over the telephone They will make their home at Worthington

Isaac Dunbaw uncle of Mrs Maggie Eckert of this city died at his home in McCutchenville Sunday morning of dropsy and heart disease He was about seventy six years of age

To make home made paste take a cold boiled potato cut an end off smooth and rub over the surfaces of the articles to be attached [illegible] press smooth with a warm iron or the hand

* * * HOUSEHOLD HINTS * * *

[illegible]

Distributing Dividends

Monday and one day [illegible] trustee of the Marion Manufacturing Company of Ohio has distributed approximately $[illegible],000 in dividend checks to the creditors of the company Nearly a fourth of this sum goes to Receiver [illegible] Justice [illegible] liquidating the old company and Mr Justice will pay a return dividend to the stockholders who were [illegible] to pay debts

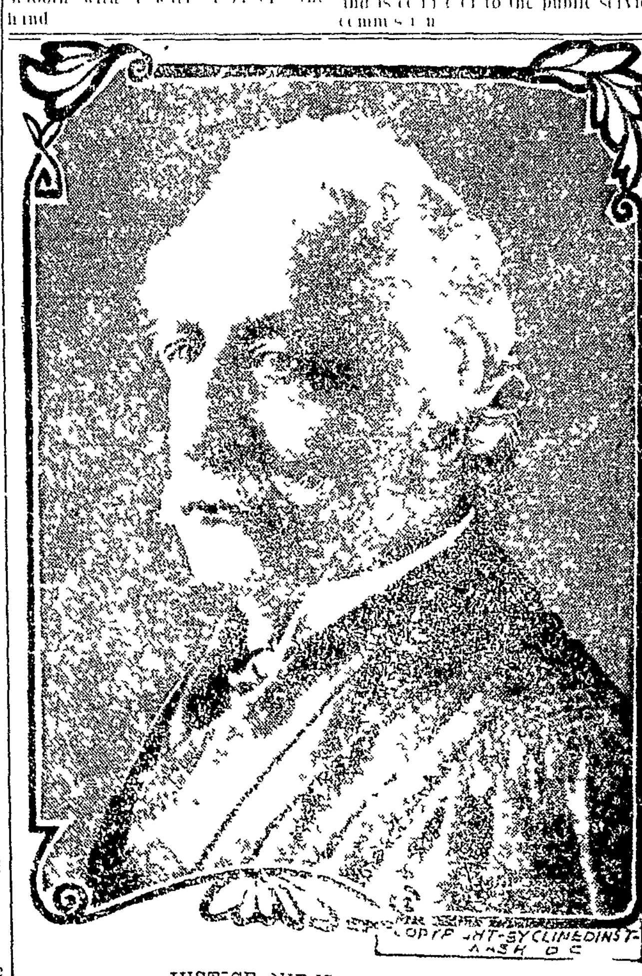
Another [illegible] distribution is being made by [illegible] Waples to the stockholders of the old Marion [illegible] company that [illegible] to the [illegible] holders who [illegible] themselves to buy the plant and [illegible] Waples is distributing has been tied up for [illegible] by pending litigation

IVINS SUPPORTS HEARST, HIS OPPONENT IN 1905



WILLIAM M IVINS

William M Ivins who ran for mayor of New York City four years ago and was third man in the race occupies a rather odd position in the campaign this year He is supporting Hearst who was one of his opponents in the last campaign and has made bitter attacks on Gaynor the Democratic nominee everywhere he has spoken Ivins is a Republican and is counsel to the public service commission



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JUSTICE RUFUS W PECKHAM

Justice Peckham Dies at His Summer Home at Altamont Today

TO REGULATE BEER SUPPLY

Steel Trust Finds Coke Workers Drink Too Much

WILL GOBBLE UP THE BREWERIES

Proposes To Curb the Tendencies of Workmen

Statistics in One Pennsylvania County Show That Pay Day Is Followed by Long Period of Negligence Due to Wholesale Consumption of Hop Extract—Plan To Force Purchases by Glass

Pittsburg Pa Oct 2[illegible] —It has been decided by the United States Steel corporation directors to make an effort to control the drinking habit of about 2[illegible],000 persons in Fayette county Pa interested in the manufacture of coke and will invest $10,000,000 in the project to obtain possession of the nine breweries now running inside the county While the effort being made to merge these breweries is being conducted in the name of the Pittsburg Brewing company it is understood that the steel corporation is back of the movement and will try to regulate the drinking of the foreigner it being figured that at least 3 per cent better returns can be gleaned on the millions invested there by regulating the drink of the coke workers—permitting them to drink but stipulating where and when they shall drink

The sale of beer by the keg or by the barrel to the coke workers is what the corporation objects to and this it will try to remedy For more than a year figures have been gathered on drinking among the coke workers and it is found that for hours after each payday the coke ovens do not run more than two thirds capacity and there is scarcely a payday when hundreds of tons of coke are not ruined by inability to get proper men to care for it in the ovens The idea is to increase the number of licensed drinking places in the county so that all the workmen will be supplied but to kill the sale by wholesale of drink to the coke worker

* * * OBITUARY * * *

James A Thatcher was born at Green Camp February 29 184[illegible] He departed this life September 1[illegible] 1909 at Toledo aged sixty five years six months and fifteen days He served as a soldier in the civil war being in the Thirteenth regiment O V C F company At the close of the war he was honorably discharged from the service at Amelia Court House July 1 186[illegible] He joined the U B church early in life at New London being baptised at Prospect by Rev Samuel Hull June 1[illegible] 1866 He was united in marriage with Miss Carrie I Osborn of Waldo Mr Thatcher is survived by his faithful wife and four daughters Mrs W I Sheldon of Norwalk Mrs H F Beardsley Jenett Mrs H C Ward and Miss Clara B Thatcher of Marion One daughter Genevieve died in infancy Three sisters Mrs Isaac [illegible] of Green Camp Mrs C I Scranton of LaRue and Mrs Ella Griffith of Marion and one brother William Thatcher of Marion also survive Mr Thatcher's illness dated back some three years which were years of suffering He was very patient through it all During this time his family did everything possible to combat the encroachments of the dread destroyer After taking him South with the frail hope that he might be benefited this hope was shattered They returned to Marion six weeks ago and by the advice of a number of physicians took him to Toledo to be operated on Although the operation was successful his physical condition was so weakened that he could not withstand the shock to his nervous system and gradually grew weaker until 6 p m Wednesday when he passed peacefully away He expressed himself to those at his bedside as being prepared to go His last words were "Goodby mother I am going home" Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 o'clock at Green Camp Free Baptist church Rev J A Sutton of LaRue officiating Interment was made in the Green Camp cemetery

Fred Thompson Hurt

Fred Thompson, of Silver street an employe in the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company, had the toes of his right foot badly crushed as the result of a heavy casting falling on the members while at work Monday night Thompson paid no attention to the injury until Tuesday morning when it pained him so much that he was compelled to secure surgical attention

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MISS GRACE DENMAN IS GIVEN A SURPRISE

Miss Monnette and Miss Hawley Are Hostesses.

BRIDE IS SHOWERED IN PLEASING MANNER

A Fine Dinner Follows the Shower. The Woman's Club Postpones Its Regular Meeting—Some Notes of Interest Gathered This Week in Social Circles of the City.

The Monnette home on north Main street was the scene of a delightful gathering, Monday afternoon, when Miss Ada Monnette and Miss De Emma Hawley entertained at a miscellaneous shower and a six-o'clock dinner for Miss Grace Denman, who, Wednesday, became the wife of Mr. Harvey Martin.

The shower was a great surprise as Miss Denman had only learned of the dinner and when a trunk, which was drawn into the room on a little dray, was opened and the many beautiful presents displayed, she was almost speechless. After a season of chatter, the guests repaired to the dining-room where a four-course dinner was served. Large yellow chrysanthemums with sprays of fern leaves were placed effectively in the center of the table, while dainty place cards and a corsage boquet were found at each place.

Twelve young women accepted the hospitality of the hostesses.

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The Woman's club which was to have held a Halloween party Monday evening, postponed the meeting indefinitely. The next meeting will be held, November 1, with Mrs. Laura Dombaugh.

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Mrs. J. S. Lunger, of Franklin street, was hostess at a little informal dinner, Monday evening, for her guests, Mrs. William Findley, of Prospect, and Mrs. John Decker, of Richards, Missouri. Covers were laid for six. The only table decoration was a growing plant and a beautiful centerpiece of rare lace and hand embroidery.

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Miss Leonard, of Prospect street, was the hostess, Monday evening, at a beautifully appointed dinner of ten covers, honoring Miss Nellie Linsley, of Chicago, the house guest of Mrs. George D. Copeland. It was a Halloween dinner, with decorations to suit the occasion. The dining-room was unique in autumn leaves and pumpkin faces. A jack-o-lantern, placed on an exquisite silver-mounted mirror, cast flickering shadows across the cloth and blended with the chandelier draperies of frost-tinged leaves and red berries. Place cards appropriate to the affair were used, they being dainty hand-colored affairs.

Aside from the guest of honor, the guests were Mrs. C. C. Stoltz, Mrs. F. E. Guthery, Mrs. George Scofield, Mrs. Sidney Young, Mrs. D. O. Weeks, Mrs. A. H. Honefanger, Mrs. Eva Wilson and the mother of the hostess, Mrs. M. S. Leonard.

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With clusters of pink roses intermingling with green placed effectively about the house, Miss Pearl Cheney and Mrs. Clifford Owen were at home, Friday afternoon, at the home of the former, on Franklin street, in honor of Miss Selma Marx, who in the near future will marry Mr. M. Hess.

The girls of the Tattler and the Entre Nous club shared in the pleasure of the occasion.

A huge Japanese umbrella filled with many beautiful pieces of linen was opened over the bride's head and it was indeed a shower, for the presents fairly rained on the young woman.

After a series of bridge contests, the hostesses presided at a nice spread.

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Miss Josephine Brockett and Miss Mildred Holverstott were the hostesses for a very delightful gathering of young people at the home of the former, Saturday evening.

All the gay colors of fall were tastefully arranged to blend with the jack-o-lanterns, the corn and the branches of beautiful foliage. Yellow and green ribbon draperies were also used and the house was turned into a good imitation of fairyland. The hostesses were assisted by Miss Maude Hill, who had charge of the punch bowl and dispensed the cooling draught with much grace. Miss Genevieve Cheney presided over the fortune-telling booth, looked into the future and told many amusing things which caused peal after peal of laughter. The guests appeared in masquerade attire, and the evening's pleasure consisted of genuine old fashioned Halloween games. A buffet luncheon was served from a table made beautiful by its adornments. From the chandalier to each corner of the table were streamers of green and white ribbon which terminated in a huge bow at each corner. In the center was a large pumpkin-face containing lighted candles. Attached to it by invisible wires were small gourd-faces each containing a candle. The idea was most original and cleverly carried out.

When the guests unmasked and each learned the others' identity there was much merriment. Those accepting of the young ladies' hospitality were Misses Hilda Gorham, Genevieve Cheney, Florence Francis, Ruth Kinsler, Florence Apt, Ruth Brockett, Maude Hill, Bernice Holverstott, Ethel Patterson, Mabel Bender, Tempa Thomas, Emily Frank, Maude Louise McMurray, Edna Sautter, Martha Abbott, Messrs. Leland Lippincott, Daniel LaMarche, Grant Mouser, Guy Lewis, Leon Gill, Osborn Tuttle, Edgar Hill, Rhu Taylor, Burdette Bindley, Warren Kipp, George Emerson, Lawrence Jones, Milton Dickerson, Robert McKinniss and Maurice Thompson.

Custom Grinding

Chop Feed

and

Corn Meal.

We have just installed a new MONARCH FRENCH BURR MILL and are prepared to do custom grinding of chop feed and corn meal.

Will grind WEDNESDAY'S and SATURDAY'S.

THE

Marion National Mill Co.

North Prospect St.

UNCAPHER & SCOTT SUSTAIN FIRE LOSS

When Flames Sweep Freshly-Tarred Street in Bucyrus.

A loss of several hundred dollars was sustained by the contracting firm of Uncapher & Scott, of this city, at Bucyrus, Monday evening, when flames swept freshly-tarred Poplar street and for a time threatened with destruction an entire section of the city. That part of the street, which had been newly-tarred, was ruined.

The fire started from the tar wagon, and, quickly spreading, the street became one mass of flames for a distance of several squares. Dense smoke clouds hovered over the city and the fire department had considerable difficulty in controlling it. Fire had burst forth in the tar wagon in the morning, but was soon extinguished.

PRINCE ITO IS ASSASSINATED

Continued from Page One.

Prince Ito's death is regarded in Washington as a serious loss to foreign nations because he always took a broad and unselfish view in dealing with the Oriental situation in which the interests of so many powers were entwined. Assistant Secretary Wilson compared his position in Japan to that formerly occupied by Yuan Shih Kai in China, although Ito was the greater statesman of the two. Ito's experience in Korea was characterized by such tact and fairness that his regime was appreciated by foreign missionary and business interests very highly, among which Americans predominate over all others except Japanese.

Object of Visit.

The question of absorbing interest, however, in official circles here is the object of Prince Ito's visit to Manchuria. As both Japan and Russia are in a similar position with reference to the other powers because of their administration in railway zones, it is assumed that the object of the visit was to agree upon a mutual plan to meet the objections of the powers, who are on the verge of protesting against the exercise of sovereign rights in the conceded districts. This mutual interest was so strong at one time that the existence of a secret treaty or agreement between Russia and Japan was believed to exist.

The United States has always watched very closely the Russian administration at Harbin to ascertain whether the guarantee of the administrative entity of China was being violated.

In the recent Manchurian agreement, Japan occupies a similar position with reference to the United States and it may have been the desire of the Japanese to ally its interests with those of Russia which prompted the fatal visit of Marquis Ito.

Return of Body.

Tokyo, Oct. 26.—A lengthy despatch of condolence from Russian Minister of Finance Kokovsoff, received here, says the body of Prince Ito is on its way to Tokyo. Several Russian and Chinese diplomats are accompanying the train which carries the body. At every station along the railroad honors are being shown the slain statesman.

Arrangements are being made here for a great public demonstration when the body arrives.

FRESH LETTUCE ALL THROUGH THE WINTER

A Family's Salad Bill for Winter Is Small.

SUPPLY PROVIDED BY A COLD FRAME

A Little Greenhouse Is Heated by an Oil Stove—A Woman Is the Gardener—The Crop Is Easy To Raise and Woman Finds Pleasure in the Cultivation of the Lettuce.

"Last winter I kept my family supplied with fresh lettuce at a very slight cost in money and labor," a woman living in a New York suburb told the reporter. "I began to sow the seeds in September and went right on sowing every four weeks until the middle of March.

"The September sowing was in a two sash cold frame and was sufficient to last me until the middle of November. The November, December, January and Februrary sowings were in flats in a little greenhouse which I run with a medium size oil stove. I did all the work myself and my family had the best lettuce and much more of it than we could have afforded to have bought in the market.

"After sowing my seeds in the cold frame I broke the direct rays of the sun on the glass by spreading over it a sheet made of cotton cloth. This was to prevent too rapid evaporation of water, as it is necessary to maintain a uniform soil moisture if you wish lettuce seeds to germinate successfully.

"As soon as the seeds were well out of the ground I removed the cloth that the young plants might not begin to spindle and bleach too soon. When removing the cloth I also slipped two bits of wood under one side of the sash in such a manner as to raise it about three inches above the frame. This was to let in the air, which is almost if not quite as necessary as sunlight for the well being of young plant life.

"After the plants had progressed still further, say a week or ten days later, I removed the sash entirely, being careful to leave it in a handy position to be replaced when the nights promised to be too cold. When the plants were about an inch high I took them out and transplanted them into a second cold frame, where the soil had been fine raked. They were set about two inches apart both ways and as soon as they began to crowd each other I took enough of them out to transplant to the maturing beds.

"The maturing beds for the first of the September sowing was a cold frame six feet long by three across. In this I set twenty-eight plants. This was a two weeks allowance for my family, two heads a day. The first frame matured the first week in November and besides watering it and putting on the sash on cold nights, I had no trouble at all. The second two weeks allowance was set in the greenhouse and was ready for use as soon as that in the cold frame had ben consumed. Setting the young plants in the maturing flats at intervals of two weeks gave us lettuce every day and as much as we wanted.

"For planting in the cold frame I used Big Boston and the Deacon. Later when I planted the seeds in the flats in the greenhouse I planted both the Glass House and the Grand Rapids. Though I found the first two named about equally good for planting the cold frame, unless a head lettuce is especially demanded I strongly advise the Grand Rapids for greenhouse culture in preference to the Glass House. It is much easier to handle, grows rapidly, is very tender and altogether a first class lettuce. It is much less liable to fungous diseases than any other variety that I have ever tried.

"In preparing for the coming winter I shall not make the planting of seeds as large in the greenhouse as those in the cold frames, as the heads do not keep so well. My experiments have taught me that lettuce in the greenhouse does better when planted on the ground than when raised on benches, so I am careful to use every bit of ground space I have for that purpose.

"I have also learned that the earth in which you plant the lettuce seeds and that in which you set the plants on their removal need not be of extraordinary fertility, and that all the manuring should be done in the maturing bed. There is nothing better for enriching the maturing bed than decomposed scrapings from the poultry house well worked into the soil. This is a strong fertilizer but I have found that lettuce will take a lot of it.

"For the seed bed and that into which the young plants are set when first moved I have found good garden loam all that is necessary. You should be careful when making these removals from one bed to another to see that the young plants suffer as little as possible. If you will shade and water them immediately after transplanting they will not droop in the least and within a few days you will see the new growth beginning.

"Though I did not keep an itemized account of the cost I am sure it did not total five dollars. This of course does not include the time I spent in the work. I needed the exercise and am fond of dabbling in the dirt when it makes my plants grow. I am sure that even if the cost of my time were taken into account my lettuce would have given a fair profit had it been sold at the market price."—New York Sun.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE QUIETLY MARRIED

Miss Cleveland and Mr. Frank Brewer, Jr.

Miss Libbie Cleveland, residing east of Upper Sandusky, and Mr. Frank Brewer, Jr., of this city, were quietly united in marriage by Rev. N. H. Loose, at his home in Upper Sandusky, Saturday evening at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Brewer is the daughter of Mrs. Hester A. Cleveland, of Mononcue, and is a pleasing young woman.

Mr. Brewer is the son of Hiram Brewer, of Wyandot county, and is employed in this city as a blacksmith. He is quite well known here. Mr. and Mrs. Brewer will reside in this city.

TIMES FOR HOLDING COMMON PLEAS COURTS, A.D., 1910

STATE OF OHIO, TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

It is ordered that the terms of the Common Pleas Courts of the several counties in said judicial district, for the year 1910, be fixed as follows, to-wit:

Hancock County on the 7th day of February, and the 18th day of April and the 12th day of September.

Hardin County on the 3rd day of January, and the 4th day of April and the 10th day of October.

Seneca County on the 3rd day of January, and the 4th day of April, and the 10th day of September.

Wood County on the 3rd day of January, and the 9th day of May, and the 10th day of October.

Crawford County on the 24th day of January, and the 16th day of May, and the 17th day of October.

Marion County on the 24th day of January, and the 16th day of May, and and the 17th day of October.

Wyandot County on the 21st day of February, and the 6th day of June, and the 19th day of September.

Logan County on the 7th day of February, and the 9th day of May and the 17th day of October.

Union County on the 3rd day of January, and the 4th day of April, and the 12th day of September.

It is further ordered that the courts of the first sub-division be held by Judges Frank A. Baldwin, William P. Henderson and William F. Duncan.

That the courts of the second subdivision be held by judges Daniel Babst and William E. Scofield.

That the courts of the third subdivision be held by judge John W. Brodrick.

It is further ordered that the Hon. Daniel Babst be designated as Supervising Judge, and that said terms of court begin at 9 o'clock a. m.

WILLIAM E. SCOFIELD.
JOHN W. BRODRICK.
WM. P. HENDERSON.
FRANK A. BALDWIN.
DANIEL BABST.
WM. F. DUNCAN.
Judges 10th Judicial District.

Dated at Kenton, Ohio, this 19th day of October A. D., 1909.

The State of Ohio, Marion County, ss:

I, W. W. Klinefelter, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for Marion County, Ohio, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the original "Order fixing Times for holding Common Pleas Courts in the Tenth Judicial district of Ohio, 1910," now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at Marion, this 21st day of October A. D., 1909.

W. W. KLINEFELTER, Clerk.

284-tu-wk-3

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Lavonia A. Hoskinson, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of Lavonia A. Hoskinson, late of Marion county, deceased.

Dated at Marion, Ohio, this 9th day of October, A. D., 1909.

HOKE DONITHEN,
Marion, Ohio.

272-tu-wk-3

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at Central school building Saturday.

NOVEMBER 6.
DECEMBER 4.

Examinations commence at 8:30 a. m. and no applications will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 80 with a minimum of 75 secures a certificate of two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 secures a certificate for three years. 95 with a minimum of 90 secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 secures a certificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room will also be taken into consideration in determining the class of certificate.

R. B. Bell, Pres.
W. P. Moloney, Vice Pres.
S. W. Almendinger, clerk.

Hocking Valley Bulletin

of Low Rate Excursions.

Sunday excursions to Columbus & Toledo.

Homeseekers' excursions to Western and Southern points, 1st and 3d Tuesday each month.

Twin tickets to Columbus every day $.135.

Homeseekers' excursions to Michigan points, 1st and 3d Tuesday each month.

National apple show, Spokane, November 15-20.

Disciples of Christ, Pittsburg, Pa., October 11-19.

Daily excursion to Pacific coast and Far West.

Full information will be furnished on application to L. E. Nebergall, agent H. V. Ry., Marion, O.

We want to buy all your separator cream. For particulars write The Pure Milk Co., Columbus, O.

8-wk-13-c.

DITCH NOTICE.

Auditor's Office, Marion County Ohio, Marion, October 18th, A. D., 1909. In the matter of the County Ditch Improvement petitioned for by A. B. Gray. Notice to non-resident lot or land owners.

S. Dickason, Bippus heirs, Mary handle, Isaac McMillan, you, and each of you, are hereby notified that A. B. Gray filed a petition with the Auditor of Marion county, the prayer of which is for the location, and construction of a ditch on the following starting point route and terminus, to-wit: Beginning on the land of Amos B. Gray in the S. 1-2 of the N. E. 1-4 of section 15 Montgomery township thence in a northeasterly course through the lands of Amos B. Gray, S. I. Clements and terminating in an open ditch on the land of Samuel Day or far enough to give a good and sufficient outlet. The petitioners pray that the above described ditch be filed from the beginning to the line between the lands of S. I. Clements and Samuel Day, and from said line to the terminus to be an open ditch, deepened, widened and straightened.

You are also notified that the following time and place have been fixed when and where the Commissioners of said County will meet for the hearing of said petition, to-wit: Wednesday, November 17, 1909 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the head of proposed improvement, for the purpose of hearing any and all proof offered by any of the parties affected by said ditch improvement, whether the said ditch will be conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare, and whether the route described is the best route, and any and all objections to said proposed ditch improvement.

C. A. ALLEN,
Auditor of Marion County, Ohio.

24-wk-f-2

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of Marion County, Ohio, Fred W. Warner, Executor of the estate of Isaac Smith, deceased, plaintiff, against James K. Smith, et al., defendants, case number 5200.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Marion county, O., I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, 13th day of November, A. D., 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the west front of the court house in the city of Marion, Ohio, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Tract 2:—The following described real estate, situated in the City of Marion, County of Marion and State of Ohio, and known as being a part of the north part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-one (21), township five (5), south range fifteen (15) east, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning on the west line of Edwards street at the northeast corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed by Daniel W. Murphy, et al., to Isaac Smith by deed dated May 10th, 1901, and recorded in Volume 93, page 560, of the deed records of Marion county, Ohio; thence west 165 feet to the west line of said tract; thence south along the west line of said tract 42 feet to a stone; thence east parallel with the north line of said tract 165 feet to the east line of said tract; thence north parallel with the west line of said tract 42 feet, to the place of beginning, containing 1-6 of an acre, more or less.

Appraised at $1100.00.

Tract 3:—Also the following described real estate, situated in the City of Marion, County of Marion and State of Ohio, and known as being a part of the north part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-one (21), township five (5), south range fifteen (15) east, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning on the west line of Edwards street forty-two (42) feet south of the northeast corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed by Daniel W. Murphy, et al., to Isaac Smith, by deed dated May 10th, 1901, and recorded in Volume 93, page 560, of the deed records of Marion county, Ohio; thence west parallel with the north line of said tract 165 feet to the west line of said tract; thence south parallel with the east line of said tract 42 feet to the northwest corner of a tract of land conveyed by J. J. Schoenlaub, as guardian of Isaac Smith to John and Maud Hughes and recorded in Volume 116, page 81, of the deed records of Marion County, Ohio; thence east parallel with north line of said tract first above mentioned, 165 feet to the northeast corner of the tract last above mentioned; thence north parallel with the west line of the tract first above mentioned, 42 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1-6 of an acre, more or less.

Appraised at $1200.00.

Terms of sale—One-third cash in hand and the balance in one and two years from day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises and to bear interest from the day of sale, payable annually.

FRED W. WARNER,
Executor of the Estate of Isaac Smith, deceased.

By Fred L. Carhart, his attorney.

270-s-wk-4

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution of the Council of the Village of Waldo, O., passed on the 4th day of October, 1909, there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said village at the general election in said village on the 2nd day of November, 1909, the question of issuing bonds of said village in an amount in excess of one per cent. of the total value of all the property of said village as listed for taxation; that is to say, the sum of $1800.00 for the purpose of resurfacing North street from Marion street to the Pennsylvania railroad.

Those who vote in favor of the proposition of issuing bonds, as aforesaid, shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "for the issue of bonds," and those who vote against the same shall have written or printed on their ballots "against the issue of bonds."

October 4, 1909.

GEORGE COOK, Mayor.

21wk-f-4

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Ross County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, on the 12th day of November, A. D., 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., on the premises, the following described real estate, situated in the City of Marion, in the County of Marion, and State of Ohio, and known as being a tract of land in Reed, Uhler and True's addition to Marion, Ohio, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the east line of Reed avenue and the southwest corner of a piece of land deeded to Clara A. Moon; thence eastward on Clara A. Moon's south line about seventy (70) feet to said Clara A. Moon's southeast corner; thence in a southeasterly direction about fifty (50) feet; thence westward parallel with Clara A. Moon's south line at a distance of fifty feet, about eighty (80) feet to the east line of Reed avenue, at a point fifty (50) feet south of the place of beginning; thence north on the east line of Reed avenue fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning. Also known as part of lot No. 64.

Appraised at one hundred and twenty-five ($125.00) dollars.

Terms of sale—Cash.

W. P. VAUGHAN,
Executor of the last will and testament of Daniel Spear, deceased.

23-wk-f-4

ATTACHMENT.

Star Drilling Machine Company, Plaintiff, against Thomas J. Selders, Defendant.

Before Charles E. Gompf, justice of the peace in and for Marion township, Marion county, Ohio.

On the 6th day of September, 1909, said justice of the peace issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of $24.65 and costs.

Star Drilling Machine Co.
C. C. Fisher, attorney.

274-th-wk-3

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of George W. Rupp, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of George W. Rupp, late of Marion county, deceased.

Dated at Marion, Ohio, this 20th day of October, A. D., 1909.

GEORGE E. WADDELL,
23-wk-f-3 Marion, Ohio.

TIMES FOR HOLDING CIRCUIT COURTS, A. D., 1910.

State of Ohio, Third Judicial Circuit.

It is ordered that the beginning of the terms of the Circuit Courts of the several counties in said Circuit for the year 1910, be fixed as follows, to-wit:

Wyandot County on the 4th day of January and the 13th day of September.

Marion County on the 11th day of January and the 20th day of September.

Crawford County on the 18th day of January and the 27th day of September.

Union County on the 1st day of February and the 4th day of October.

Hardin County on the 8th day of February and the 6th day of October.

Logan County on the 15th day of February and the 11th day of October.

Henry county on the 23rd day of February and the 18th day of October.

Paulding County on the 1st day of March and the 20th day of October.

Defiance County on the 8th day of March and the 25th day of October.

Putnam County on the 15th day of March and the 1st day of November.

Van Wert County on the 29th day of March and the 8th day of November.

Allen County on the 5th day of April and the 15th day of November.

Auglaize County on the 19th day of April and the 22nd day of November.

Mercer County on the 26th day of April and the 29th day of November.

Seneca County on the 3rd day of May and the 6th day of December.

Hancock County on the 10th day of May and the 13th day of December.

Said terms to begin at 10 o'clock a. m.

September 31st, 1909.

SILAS E. HURIN,
M. DONNELLY,
W. H. KINDER, } Judges

The State of Ohio, Marion Co., ss.:

I, W. W. Klinefelter, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, and ex-officio Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the County of Marion and State of Ohio, in whose custody the Files, Journals and records of said Courts are required by the laws of the State of Ohio to be kept, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original times for holding Circuit Courts in the Third Judicial Circuit and that it has been compared by me with the original times of holding Circuit Courts and that it is a true and correct copy thereof, now on file in said clerk's office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, at Marion, Ohio., this 15th day of October, 1909.

W. W. KLINEFELTER,

275-s-wk-3

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

HOCKING VALLEY.

North—*7 a. m.; 10:15 a. m.; 6:25 p. m.; 12:20 a. m.; 6:10 p. m. Logan to Marion only.

South—5:45 a. m.; 7:20 a. m.; 10:15 a. m.; *1:35 p. m.; 7:15 p. m.

*** Daily except Sunday.**

BIG FOUR.

Eastbound—9:25 a. m.; 12:30 noon; 7:23 p. m.; 10:57 p. m.; 11:30 p. m.; 5:27 p. m.

Westbound—8:38 a. m.; 5:50 a. m.; 9:55 a. m.; 1:55 p. m.; 7:30 a. m.; 4:27 p. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

West—10:25 a. m.; 1:54 p. m.; 12:33 a. m.; *4:40 p. m.; *7:10 a. m.

East—5:18 a. m.; 8:50 a. m.; 12:40 p. m. ‡5:20 p. m.; 8:12 p. m.; 11:48 p. m.

*** Daily except Sunday. † runs to Lima only. a runs to Huntington only. ‡ runs Huntington to Marion only.**

ERIE.

Southwest—10:27 a. m.; 6:10 p. m.; 12:45 a. m.

East—12:53 p. m.; 11:01 a. m.; 6:30 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Northbound—*12:10 p. m.; *6:25 p. m.; †7:55 p. m.

Southbound—a10:11 a. m.; *7:10 p. m.

***Daily except Sunday; †Sunday only. aDaily.**

C., D. & M. ELECTRIC.

South—Cars leave every hour from Columbus from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m. and till 11 p. m. for Delaware, excepting the car which leaves at 10:15 a. m.

North—Cars leave Columbus on the half hour from 5:30 a. m. till 7:30 p. m. The last car leaves at 8:40 p. m.

C., M. & E. ELECTRIC.

North—Cars leave Marion for Bucyrus at 6, 8, 10 a. m., 12 m., 2, 4, 6 and 8 p. m.

South—Cars arrive from Bucyrus at 7:55, 9:55 and 11:55 a. m.; 1:55, 3:55, 5:55, 7:55 and 9:55 p. m.

RATES OF TAXATION FOR 1909.

To the Tax Payers of Marion County, Ohio.

In accordance with law, I—W. C. Wotring—Treasurer of Marion County, Ohio, hereby give notice that the Rates of Taxation in said County, for State and County purposes, for the year, 1909, are correctly stated as follows:

ALL LEVIES FOR LOCAL PURPOSES ARE CORRECTLY SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING TABLE:

NAMES OF TOWNSHIPS VILLAGES AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS.	Total County	Total County State	School	Township	Corporation	Road	December Tax	June Tax	Total
Big Island Township	8.75	5	10.1	7.	1.1		.9	9.1	9.1	18.2
New Bloomington Village School	8.75	5	10.1	10.	1.1		.9	10.6	10.6	21.2
Bowling Green Township	8.75	5	10.2	5.6	.2		.8	8.7	8.7	17.4
LaRue Village School	8.75	5	10.1	14.8	.1		.6	12.8	12.8	25.6
Claridon Township	8.75	5	10.1	7.	.8		1.5	9.7	9.7	19.4
Caledonia Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	10.	.8	10.	.9	15.45	15.45	30.9
Caledonia Village School	8.75	5	10.1	10.	.8		1.5	11.2	11.2	22.4
Grand Township	8.75	5	10.1	11.	.8		1.1	11.5	11.5	23.0
Grand Prairie Township	8.75	5	10.1	8.	.5		.4	9.5	9.5	19.0
Morral Village School	8.75	5	10.1	12.	.5		.4	11.5	11.5	23.0
Green Camp Township	8.75	5	10.1	7.	.1		.0	8.6	8.6	17.2
Green Camp Corporation	8.75	5	0.1	12.	.1	10.	.0	10.1	16.1	32.2
Green Camp Village School	8.75	5	10.1	12.	.1		.0	11.1	11.1	22.2
Marion Township	8.75	5	10.1	5.1	.9		.5	8.8	8.8	18.0
Marion Ditches	8.75	5	10.1					1.5	1.5	r39.8
Marion Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	11.3	.9	14.5	.0	18.4	18.4	p58.8
Marion City Schools	8.75	5	10.1	11.3	.9		.5	11.4	11.4	22.8
Marion Ditches	8.75	5	10.1					1.5	1.5	r32.6
Marion Township School	8.75	5	10.1	5.1	.9	14.5	.0	15.3	15.3	p30.6
Montgomery Township	8.75	5	10.1	8.0	.5		.2	9.4	9.4	18.8
LaRue Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	14.8	.5	10.	.0	17.7	17.7	35.4
LaRue Village School	8.75	5	10.1	11.8	.5		.2	12.8	12.8	25.6
New Bloomington Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	10.	.5	6.	.0	13.3	13.3	26.6
New Bloomington Village School	8.75	5	10.1	10	.5		.2	10.4	10.4	20.8
Pleasant Township	8.75	5	0.1	4.5	.0		1.0	7.8	7.8	15.6
Richland and Pleasant Tp. School	8.75	5	10.1	6.1	.0		1.	8.6	8.6	17.2
Prospect Township	8.75	5	10.1	7.	1.1		1.	9.6	9.6	19.2
Prospect Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	15.	1.1	13.6	.0	19.9	19.9	39.8
Prospect Village School	8.75	5	10.1	15.	1.1		1.	13.6	13.6	27.2
Richland Township	8.75	5	10.1	6.1	.0		1.	8.6	8.6	17.2
Salt Rock Township	8.75	5	10.1	5.	1.1		.0	8.1	8.1	16.2
Morral Corporation	8.75	5	10.1	12.	1.1	6.	.0	14.6	14.6	29.2
Morral Village School	8.75	5	10.1	12.	1.1		.0	11.6	11.6	23.2
Scott Township	8.75	5	10.1	7.	.4		.5	9.	9.	18.0
Tully Township	8.75	5	10.1	5.8	.7		.8	8.7	8.7	17.4
Waldo Township	8.75	5	10.1	2.	.5		2.3	7.4	7.4	14.8
Waldo Corporation	8.75	5	10.2	12.	.5	3.2	.0	12.9	12.9	25.8

DOG TAX—In addition to the foregoing tax, there is levied a per capita tax of one dollar on male, and two dollars on female dogs, payable in one installment at December collection.

The Treasurer's office will be open from 8 to 11:30 a. m. and 12:30 to 4 p. m. standard time. The remainder of the day is absolutely necessary for other essential clerical duties.

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Toe Is Crushed.

Edgar Landes, residing on north Oak street, who is employed on the local on the Pennsylvania railroad, had the great toe of his right foot badly crushed as the result of a heavy piece of iron falling on the member at Monnette, Monday evening. The injured man was brought to this city and removed to his home where Dr. A. Rhu attended him.

WHAT CENSUS FIGURES WILL PROBABLY SHOW

Doubling of the Population of the City.

A MOVE TO EXTEND CORPORATION LINES

By Bringing Some of the Thickly-Settled Suburbs into the City It Is Expected Marion Will Pass the 20,000 Mark When Enumerators Complete Their Work.

The United States census for 1910 is expected to show Marion's population to be at least 20,000.

That the city will not fall below this mark, a movement is now underway to take in some of the city's suburbs. By thus extending the corporation lines, it is estimated that Marion's population will not only reach 20,000 when Uncle Sam's decennial count is taken, but that it will have passed it and possibly doubled in size since 1900, when the federal census gave Marion a population of 11,862.

The growth of Marion in the past thirty years has been phenomenal. In 1880 the government census was 3,899. Ten years later Marion had considerably more than doubled in population, as the census for 1890 was 8,327.

The ten years that followed did not show as great a growth as the preceding decade, according to census figures, but it was gratifying nevertheless, for it showed an increase of 3,535 which did not include any of the suburbs.

The city directory for 1907-8 showed, from actual count, a population of 19,500, and the last directory census gives the population at about 20,000.

When the proper time arrives the council will be asked to take into the city those outlying districts, which are and have been in reality a part of the city for several years. Such a move will, it is expected, be met with opposition from some quarters, but those in favor of the city's expansion will push the proposition with organized effort. Many of the present city officials are favorable to the plan.

MARRILA G. DAY DIES EARLY TUESDAY MORNING

Death Comes as a Great Shock to Friends.

IS STRICKEN WHILE UNHITCHING A HORSE

Suffers a Stroke of Paralysis—Condition Is at First Not Regarded as Serious, but the Paralysis Extends Gradually and Death Comes Tuesday Morning.

Meeker, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—An unexpected stroke of paralysis caused the death of Marrila G. Day at his home, four miles west of here, this morning at 4 o'clock. Mr. Day, who had been in apparently the best of health, was in the act of unhitching a horse at his barn, Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, when he was stricken. Neighbors were summoned and he was tenderly carried to the house and Dr. C. S. Burnsides called. His condition was not at the time considered serious and to all appearances he seemed to improve, until 11 o'clock Monday night, when the paralysis extended to his throat, death following at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Day was born south of Meeker fifty-three years ago and was a prosperous farmer of this vicinity all his life. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge of LaRue and was held in the highest esteem.

The deceased is survived by a widow, one daughter, Mildred, and a sister, Miss Easter Day. He was a cousin of Mrs. George Baker, of Marion.

The funeral services will be held from the family residence, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The remains will be interred in the Scott Town cemetery.

THE MESSAGE BRINGS GRIEF TO FRIENDS

Glen Turman Dies Suddenly in Colorado.

Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Wiant are in receipt of a message stating the death of Glenn Turman, an intimate friend of their son, Roy. The young man died in Colorado, but the message did not say when he died or the cause of his death.

Mr. Turman had frequently visited at the Wiant home and during his brief stays in this city had made many friends who will be deeply grieved to learn of his early death. He was twenty-six years of age, a young man of excellent character and one who commanded the greatest respect from all with whom he became acquainted.

Mrs. Wiant left Tuesday for Attica, Indiana, the home of Mr. Turman, where the funeral was held Wednesday.

A MAN AS A STORM CENTER.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for October 31 Is "Paul a Prisoner; the Voyage." Acts 27:1-26.

Everybody faces trouble some time. It may be only a little trouble, but if it seems big, the problem is the same. The stronger the person the greater and more numerous his troubles. Outward serenity of life, and *freedom from soul-turmoil, are goals* which all who would live nobly must resign. The tempests of truth are better than the ease of error. Whoever follows the knightly Christ must share the turmoil and tumult of which he was, and is, the center. An exciting experience of the apostle Paul brings the Sunday-schools face to face with the question of how to behave in trouble.

A man is bigger than a mountain; a soul is greater than a storm. As we read this dramatic narrative of Paul's experience in a fierce Northeaster, we note that it is he, and not the ripping, roaring, resistless winds; or the whelming waves, that commands our attention. The mariner is of more interest than the tempest. The struggles of a human spirit are more absorbing than all the fury of the elements. This great Mediterranean hurricane seems to have as its center the mild-mannered little Jew, with eyes like coals of fire, who had likewise been the center of many stormy human scenes.

May a Man Turn Sour?

It is not the troubles that come to us that count, but the way we meet *them. For a first office of tribulation* is to serve as trials—testings—of character. Into the human junk heap of useless tools must go the man who whimpers and lies down at *the first approach of hardship, wailing continually thereafter his grievance* into the ears of all who can be made to hear it. There is no more sensible test of Paul's real size than *the fact that he never whined or* complained about his troubles. He had enough, surely; but he did not turn sour. He kept his faith in men, and in God. The victim of piled-up injustices, he remained throughout a suave and smiling gentleman. He was good company even for his jailers. Note how cordial is his relationship with Captain Julius, on this eventful voyage. Incidentally, it secured for Paul the special consideration which dignified courtesy usually wins.

The actual events of the voyage are best told in the words of Luke. After his address before Festus and Agrippa, Paul was sent towards Rome, at the first opportunity. One ship carried the prisoner and his military escort over familiar seas, from Cæsarea to a port in Asia Minor called Myra. There they transshipped to what was then esteemed a large ship, a grain vessel from Egypt, bound for Rome. In this they made a slow journey against head winds until they reached the island of Crete, which newspaper readers recognize as the present scene of international complications. They worked their way gradually around the island to the port of Fair Havens. This was a poor harbor, and the ship's captain did not want to winter there, although Paul warned him that to leave would be destruction; so in the face of terrible storms, as October is the month of the terrible northeasters, the ship tried to make Phoenix, another port on the same island of Crete, in order to lie up for the winter. This effort failed, and the throwing over of the cargo, casting out of anchors and binding the hull with great ropes, all failed to avert shipwreck.

All Winds Are Good Winds.

"Whichever way the wind doth blow
Some heart is glad to have it so.
Then blow it East or blow it West,
Whatever wind doth blow is best."

Paul was not of those who find fault with the weather; he recognized it as God's weather, on the same errand and serving the same Master as himself. It is a comforting assurance that the "Ruler of wind and wave" uses both men and the natural elements to work out his purposes. The very heart of faith is to believe that whatever God sends is good. His winds never thwart His will. He had decreed that his minister, Paul, should go to Rome to accomplish that end He would if necessary, unleash all the winds that He holds in His Fist. Well could Paul be at ease, for he knew that there was not water enough in the restless Middle Sea to drown the man whom the Lord needed at Rome.

Few experiences call for more faith than a storm at sea. The landsman cannot understand the seeming impotence of the waters, and the utter helplessness of mortal power, in a great tempest. I have sailed his same tempestous Mediterranean, in a vessel not much larger than Paul's, and I have been nigh to earth in a still trailer craft in the treacherous Yellow Sea, and I can testify that the might of man is impotence when the sea lifts up its head.

Jesus slept in a storm at sea; and the same untroubled heart seems to have been in Paul's breast. The contrast between his course and that of Jonah in these same waters is worth recalling. Paul could trust God whichever way the wind blew. Faith is not faith which disappears when trouble draws near. Some persons think they have reason to rebel against God whenever His mysterious providences touch them, as in the death of a loved one. Genuine faith, though, cries with Job, "Though He slay me, yet will I trust him."

Too Much Cargo.

Caught by the sailors' old enemy, the northeaster, which the translators conceal under the Greek name "Euroclydon" or "Euroquilo," the vessel was allowed to drive. Undergirding the ship with cables, to strengthen the imperilled hull, while under the lee of a little island, they took in sail, and cast off once more, to escape the treacherous sands of Syrtis. Now it became necessary to begin to throw overboard the needless furniture of the ship—using discrimination at first, but afterward giving to the waves what they had at first thought necessary to keep. Even the cargo had to go by the board, in this blind driving over a sunless, starless sea, with, of course, no mariner's compass to direct the helm.

The lesson is one for life as well as for seamanship. Many human craft are in peril in today's stress because they are too heavily laden with goods. Buoyancy and freedom are sacrificed to cargo. We have rigged our soul-ships so elaborately that their sailing powers are hindered. There is good reason for the vogue of "the simple life." Thousands of perplexed and storm-tossed men and women need nothing so sorely as to cast overboard the luggage and freight with which they have become cumbered because of artificial notions of success and social position and provision for the future. In the name of safety and peace—yes, and reverently in the name of God—let us throw over the rail our fine houses and many servants and cluttered heaps of costly clothes and our visiting cards and our multitudinous offerings at the shrine of Mrs. Grundy, and let us sail free to a harbor of rest. What is the use of saving cargo and gear and ship if the souls are lost? Nothing counts but the spirit-life; and life consists not in an abundance of things.

Calm in a Crisis.

The experienced seamen on Paul's ship were in something resembling what is colloquially called "a blue funk." Even the impassive Roman captain was in despair. The limit had been reached; hope was gone. Then emerged the royal-hearted Paul. Crises reveal the great. In times of panic, it is the strong soul who has been in the quiet with God who comes to the help of his fellows. And such a one is bound to be an encourager and heartener. At Ladysmith the British court-martialed a man for being a discourager. In time of danger and anxiety, it is a first duty to disseminate hopefulness.

Paul could do this, for he had reason to exhort his companions to "Fear not," and to "Be of good cheer." The ground of his faith was this. "For I believe God." That is the secret of assurance. There is more soul-nourishment in that bread than in a barrel of sentimental "Don't Worry" gumdrops. When in calm confidence a person can say, "God, whose I am and whom I serve," he is in a position to impart his peace to fellow men. The way to share our faith is to share our God. Trust in Him is the only adequate refuge in the storms of life.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

The following mail remains unclaimed in the local postoffice:

Men—P. J. Anderson, Williard Butterman, Roy Baker, C. M. Buller, Arthur Benvis, Arthur Cox, Edward Clark, Edgar Dewit, Edwin Eugene Evans, Clella Evans, William Ferch, Erde Gamble, N. C. Hinsdale, Joseph Hickman, D. L. Kramer, W. I. Long H. L. Lindsay Clint Long, Alex Marion, Pat Malarkey, William McCumber, F. E. Owens, J. E. Osborn, Thomas Owens, Joseph Porter, H. E Phillcans, D. S. Rizer, F. B. Rogers Frank E. Sheeling, F. M. Smith, H J. Smith, G. E. Stryer, Clarence Wheeler, Skip Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wise.

Women—Mrs. Rosa Berry, J. W. Barron, Lucy Blake, care Lily & Prince company; Emma Eichman, Mrs. Annie Eckels, Ruby Evans, Mrs. Joe Goon, Mrs. Walter Herron, Ollie Holt, Miss Mather, Salita Solom, care Lily & Prince company; Mrs. Valere Shafer, Ellie Ward, Nerla Williams.

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Rally day of the First Presbyterian church was one of the largest and one of the most successful ever held in this city and much credit should be given to the committees, who had the affair in charge, for their untiring efforts in making it a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana O. Weeks appreciating the efforts made by the committees showed their good will by inviting them to their home on west Center street, Monday evening, for an informal season of entertainment. The Sunday-school orchestra started the ball rolling by giving some fine selections, after which little impromptu speeches were given on the Rally day.

The talks were very interesting as well as bright and witty. An old-fashioned spelling school was next in order. Mrs. W. N. Harder and Miss Katherine Fies chose sides and the spelling continued until there were only two left on one side and three on the other. Those left being expert spellers, and, it being hard to find a word that they might miss, they divided the honors. A buffet lunch was served, followed by charades, Mrs. W. N. Harder and Miss Elizabeth Dairy choosing sides. This amusement caused much laughter.

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again" was sung and a short prayer by Rev. George M. Rourke completed the evening.

The guests who accepted the hospitality of Mr. Weeks and his gracious wife were, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Nelson, Mr. W. C. Torrance and son, Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Harder, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Philbrick, Mr. L. B. McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schrote, Mr. and Mrs. James Fies, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lust, Mrs. D. L. Sellers, Mrs. Flora S. Weeks, Miss Mildred Christian, Miss Leora Wiard, Miss Elizabeth Dairy, Miss Anna Thompson, Miss Anna Dennig, Mrs. Chase Carhart, Miss Edna Schaffner, Miss Katherine Fies, Mrs. Z. A. Meredith, Mr. Joseph Smith, Jr., Mr. Carl Ewell and Mr. Harold Lust.

Farm Is Sold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stoneburner have sold their farm of 313 acres in Big Island township to James B. and Lowell H. Guthery, of this city. The consideration, as given in a deed filed for record, Monday, was $36,333.

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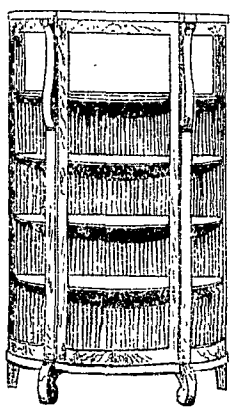
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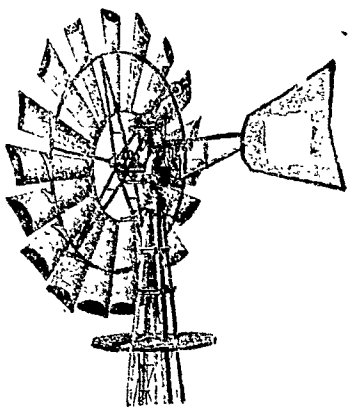
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DELLA BARRINGER IS FINED FIFTY DOLLARS

Pleads Guilty to Having Intoxicants in Violation of the Rose Law. Beer Is Found in the House of the Woman—David Vestal Causes a Search of the Korte Place.

Finley Stevens and Alvin McAnnich were arrested, Saturday evening, on a warrant charging them with depositing night soil in a vacant lot in Greenwood addition. The affidavit for the warrant was sworn to by J. W. Smith, officer of the Humane society. When arraigned before the mayor the men pleaded guilty to the charges against them and were each fined five dollars and costs.

George Cubbison, who pleaded guilty to a similar charge, Saturday afternoon, sentence being reserved, was fined $10 and the costs in the case. McAnnich paid his fine and was released. Cubbison was held to make arrangements to pay and Stevens was released and given until noon Monday, to settle the amount assessed against him.

Della Barringer, who conducts the Rose hotel, on Kenton avenue, was arraigned before the mayor, Saturday afternoon, to answer to a charge of keeping a place where intoxicating liquors are sold and kept for sale. The affidavit for the arrest of the Barringer woman was filed by Captain Bond and was the result of the finding of some beer at the woman's place when the officers were called there, early Saturday morning, to stop a fight that was in progress at the hotel.

The Barringer woman pleaded not guilty to the charge against her, but stating that she would be unable to furnish a bond for her appearance, she charged her plea to guilty and was fined $50 and the costs in the case.

One plain drunk occupied a cell in the city prison, Sunday. Next morning the offender pleaded guilty and the customary fine of five dollars was assessed against him.

David Vestal filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Saturday evening, for a warrant to search the place of Alfred Korte, on Hoyle street. The warrant was served by Captain Bond and Officers Bell and Thompson, who made a thorough search of Korte's place and returned with a jug containing about a gallon of what is alleged to be whisky.

Captain Bond then filed an affidavit against Korte charging him with keeping a place where intoxicating liquors are sold and kept for sale.

Korte appeared before the mayor, Monday, and pleaded not guilty to the charge filed against him. His hearing was set for Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Officers Babcock and Wilhelm searched the meat-market of Edward Fergus on north Main street, early Saturday evening.

An affidavit for the warrant to make the search was filed by Officer Wilhelm, who received a tip that Fergus had some beer delivered at the shop. In the search made by the officers a case containing thirteen full quart bottles of beer was found.

Officer Babcock filed an affidavit against Fergus charging him with keeping a place where intoxicants are kept in violation of the Rose law. Fergus kept the beer at his shop for his own use and did not engage in the sale of the stuff, but the fact that the shop was not his residence made him guilty of an offense. Fergus appeared before the mayor and pleading guilty to the affidavit filed against him was fined $50 and the costs in the case.

WILLIAM DEAL IS GIVEN SURPRISE

An Anniversary Celebration Is Held Near Morral.

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A VALUABLE RELIC LOCATED AT CLYDE

A Geography That Contains No Maps Is Interesting.

A valuable relic has come to light in Clyde. A. W. Wiles is the owner of a book entitled, "An Easy Grammar of Geography," by Jacob Willetts, says the Tiffin Tribune. The geography contains no maps and was published in 1817. Ezekiel Birdseye, a pioneer resident of the state, was the first owner of the book. Many interesting facts may be gleaned from its pages. The population of Ohio is given at 220,750 or less than half the present population of Cleveland. The following information is given regarding the Buckeye state:

"Bounded north by Lake Erie, and the Michigan territory, east by Pennsylvania, south by Ohio river, and west by Indiana. The chief towns are Chillicothe, Cincinnati, Zanesville, Marietta and Columbia. Zanesville is the seat of government. The principal rivers are Muskingum, Hocking, Scioto, the Great and Little Miamies, and Sandusky. The air is generally milder than in any states on the Atlantic, in the same latitude. The eastern part of the state is hilly; the western level, the whole productive. In this state are the remnants of many ancient fortifications, which bespeak a race of men more persevering than the present Indians. The part called New Connecticut lies south of Lake Erie, and is mostly settled by emigrants from Connecticut."

PHILIP BENDER IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

Ribs Are Broken and Is Internally Injured.

Philip Bender, the aged janitor of the Greenwood Street school building, lies at his home, No. 251 Pleasant street, in a very serious condition as a result of injuries sustained by falling off a porch at the home of his neighbor, Mrs Carrie Gibson, Saturday evening about 6 o'clock. He sustained two fractured ribs on the right side and internal injuries that caused hemorrhage of the lungs.

Mr. Bender, who is past seventy-five years of age, went to the Gibson home to secure a pitcher of water and was about to return when his foot slipped. He fell a distance of less than three feet. Dr. James W. McMurray was called.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT PASTOR'S HOME

Miss Kehrwecker and Mr. Walter Krouse.

Miss Rosella L. Kehrwecker, of this city, and Mr. Walter Krouse, of Plymouth, were united in marriage at the United Brethren church parsonage, on south Prospect street, Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. They were unattended.

The young people are undecided whether they will make their future home at Plymouth or in Marion.

JUDSON WOLFORD IS DEAD NEAR FOREST

A Victim of Long Illness of Typhoid Fever.

Judson Wolford, aged twenty-two years, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Wolford, six miles southeast of Forest, Thursday night. His death was caused by typhoid fever of which he had suffered for the past twelve weeks.

Mr. Wolford was quite well known in this city, being a member of the local Maccabee lodge. He was an exemplary young man.

WILL MAKE HOME ON A FARM NEAR MARTEL

Miss Pletcher and Mr. Oliver Beach Married.

Miss Alta Pletcher and Mr. Oliver Beach, both residing near Martel, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the First M. E church, at Bucyrus, Thursday afternoon, Rev. Austin Philpott officiating. They were unattended.

Mr. and Mrs. Beach will make their future home on a farm, near Martel.

JUDGE BABST GIVES DECISIONS IN CASES

Finds Error in but One Case of Alleged Bootlegging.

GEBHARDT PIANO COMPANY AFFAIRS

Henry Ackerman Is Discharged as Receiver, the Business in His Charge Having Been Settled—The Progress of the Trial of Fuller Johnson—Some Court Notes.

On the ground of wilful absence, Newton Prettyman was granted a decree of divorce from Minda Prettyman and awarded custody of their two children, aged eleven and nine years, Saturday, by Judge W. E. Scofield.

The plaintiff testified that he was married to the defendant at Agosta, December 19, 1897, since which time, he said, his wife had frequently left her home.

"I thought a good deal of my children and each time I asked her to come back," said Mr. Prettyman. "She went away the last time in 1905 and I have not seen her since. She is somewhere in California."

In the matter of Joseph Short against Mary E. Short, Judge Scofield, has granted a partition and named John Barringer, John Neidhart and Jacob Lill as commissioners.

In the suit of James H. Eymon, guardian of Lewis Trimble, against William H. Hunt, administrator of the estate of Georgie Trimble, the defendant has filed a demurrer through Scofield & Durfee, setting up that the petition does not state sufficient facts to constitute a cause of action.

George T. Hamner, found guilty of assault and battery a week ago, after being tried for second degree murder as a result of the death of Roy Cubbison, was taken to the Columbus workhouse by Sheriff John G. Stark, Monday morning. He was fined $200 and sentenced to serve six months by Judge Daniel Babst.

On the application of Receivers George Whysall and F. E. Guthery, of the Columbus, Marion & Bucyrus Railway company, Judge Daniel Babst Monday morning, granted them an order to meet the accounts for September as follows:

Operation, $973,48; construction, $2,466.31; total, $3,439.79.

Judge Babst also granted the receivers an order to meet the payroll of $918.89 due October 15. They were also authorized to place the cost and expense incident to the improvement of Poplar street, Bucyrus, on the tax duplicate of that city as required by the company's franchise for collection in ten annual installments. The company recently entered into a contract with Uncapher & Scott to complete its share of the improvement.

In the alleged bootlegging cases of Edward J. Burk, Michael Burk, Peter H. Neidig and Frederick Page, Judge Daniel Babst, Tuesday, affirmed the court of Mayor Joseph W. Huff, of Prospect, in all except that of Edward J. Burk. In this case, Judge Babst finds error in the lower court's action in overruling a motion for a new trial on the ground that the judgment of the court was not supported by the evidence, and the judgment of the lower court is therefore reversed at the cost of the defendant-in-error, the State of Ohio.

In his opinion the court declared that Detective Stillwell's testimony was not sufficiently corroborated by the evidence.

In all the other cases, Judge Babst affirmed the judgment of Mayor Huff's court, and dismissed the petitions-in-error, and the exhibits ordered detached are again ordered to be attached by the clerk of the court, as the causes are remanded to the mayor's court for further proceedings according to law.

The answer of the defendant in the suit of Dr. Joseph Haas Remedy company, an Indiana corporation, against William O. Rish, was filed in the common pleas court by Attorneys DeGolley & DeGolley, Monday afternoon. He sets up that the remedies, or pretended hog remedies sold him, were worthless and that the contract is therefore valueless. He asks that the plaintiff's action be dismissed.

Henry Ackerman has been discharged as receiver for the Gebhardt Piano company, after presenting to the court his distributive account. The affairs of the defunct company are now fully wound up and all its obligations settled and paid.

In the suit of Ella Dutt against Orren Folk and others, a writ of partition has been granted.

Before washing new blankets soak them for awhile in cold water with a handful of salt to draw out the sulphur. They will then require less soap in washing.

AN UNUSUAL STORY IS BEHIND ARREST

The Return of Bernie J. Harding to Mt. Gilead.

Behind the arrest in St. Louis and return to Mt. Gilead of Bernie J. Harding, after a lapse of nearly twenty years, on an indictment for failing to support a minor son, lies an unusual story. Harding was arrested on the complaint of the boy's mother, Mary K. Harding, who resides northeast of Cardington.

Years ago, Harding, who had a leaning to the ministry, went to Pennsylvania, where, according to the story told the grand jury, he became enamored of a young woman while conducting a series of religious meetings. This woman he brought back with him to Mt. Gilead. Domestic infelicity followed and Harding went West, leaving behind Mrs. Harding and their son. During all the intervening years she has supported and educated the boy.

Until recently the whereabouts of the father had not been known. A short time ago it was learned he had obtained a decree of divorce and married.

Sheriff Charles B. Chilcote secured from Governor Harmon a requisition which was promptly honored by Governor Hadley. Harding resisted extradition. He is now a prisoner in the Morrow county jail.

THE LODGE WORLD.

The members of Lydia Chapter, No. 83, Order of the Eastern Star, gave a poverty social at the Masonic temple, Monday evening, the affair attracting a very large company of the members and their families.

The evening was given over wholly to music and social diversions and proved pleasant in every detail.

After hearing the report of Superintendent John W. Parsons of the Ohio Masonic home, at Springfield, the Grand lodge of Ohio Masons has voted the home $38,000 for the coming year.

Of the $38,000, $10,000 goes to the endowment fund and the other toward the maintenance of the institution.

Last year it cost $31,896.39 to maintain the home, aside from an additional $3,791.28 spent to maintain the farming department and the $6,391 21 spent for improvements.

The home is supported by contributions and what is known as the home tax from members of the Grand lodge, Grand chapter, Grand council and Grand commandery. Last year the Grand lodge gave $31,701.70 toward the support of the home and this year, owing to the excellent report rendered by Mr. Parsons, of his year's work, this was increased to $38,000.

During the year there were seventy-three men, forty-six women, thirty-one boys and twenty-four girls in the institution, which was a gain of fourteen over the year previous.

The endowment fund now contains $115,036.70. It is placed on interest and the interest used to increase the principal each year.

In the course of the next ten years the institution will have an endowment fund sufficient to make it self-supporting, without taxing the members of the order.

The attendance at the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters, Monday evening, was quite large. Aside from the routine business, arrangements were made to attend the convention at Ashley, November 4. Miss Flecta Thomas was elected delegate to the convention by the local lodge. Following the business session, a social hour was enjoyed and lunch was served.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks.

If a girl is afraid of the men her mother worries about it almost as much as if she wasn't.

MRS. E. E. MASON IS VICTIM OF APOPLEXY

Death Comes After a Lingering Illness.

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS MOURN THEIR LOSS

Mrs. Mason Is an Invalid Many Years—A Great Sufferer of Rheumatism—The Funeral Services Will Be Held at the Family Residence, Wednesday.

Meeker, Oct. 26.—[Special.]—Mrs. E. E. Mason passed away at her home here, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Her death was the result of a stroke of apoplexy, which she suffered last Thursday. Since that time she never rallied, and death finally came to relieve her of her sufferings. Mrs. Mason was forty-seven years of age. She had been an invalid for many years, being confined to her home by rheumatism. The unfortunate woman was stricken by apoplexy about a year ago, which with her crippled condition, added much to her sufferings, but she bore up nobly under her afflictions and always looked on the bright side of life.

The deceased was born and reared in this community and had gathered about her a large circle of friends. She is survived by her husband, Elmer E. Mason, and a number of other relatives.

The funeral will be held at the late home, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Scott Town cemetery.

NIMRODS PREPARE FOR FALL SHOOTING

Some of the Regulations Provided by the State.

Marion county nimrods are beginning to clean their guns and buy ammunition for the fall and winter hunt.

The open seasons for game are as follows:

Quail, from November 15 to December 1, inclusive.

Woodcock or Carolina dove, from September 1 to December 4, inclusive.

Wild duck, wild goose, rail, shore bird, plover, snipe, wild swan, coot or mud hen, from September 1 to December 31, inclusive. Spring, from March 1 to April 20, inclusive.

Ruffled grouse, Mongolian pheasants, ring-necked or other pheasants, not before 1913, and then from November 15 to December 4, inclusive.

Rabbit, from November 15 to December 4, inclusive.

Squirrel, from October 1 to October 31, inclusive.

Raccoon, from November 1 to March 1, inclusive.

It is unlawful to buy, sell, offer for sale, expose for sale, quail, wild duck or any other game bird or any squirrel, at any time whether killed within the state or elsewhere.

ARE MARRIED IN PROBATE COURT-ROOM

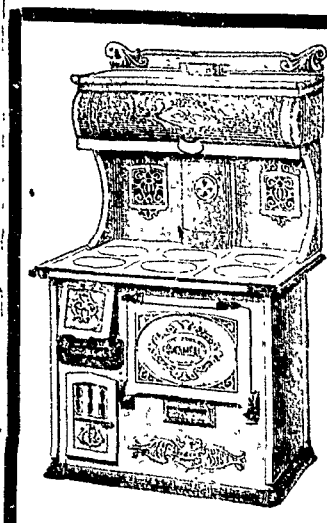
Miss Clara R. Redmon and Mr. T. E. Richards.

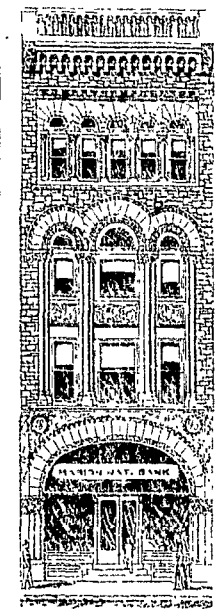
Miss Clara R. Redmon and Mr. Thomas Earl Richards were united in marriage by Justice Charles E. Gompt in the probate court-room, Monday at 1:30 o'clock, in the presence of the bride's father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Redmon, and a few attaches of the court-house.

"I hope they don't have as much trouble as I have had," said the father. He explained that he had been married three times and had lost two of his wives.

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MRS. W. H. LAKE THE HOSTESS TO SOCIETY

A Meeting of the Women of Richwood Church

LUNCH FOLLOWS BUSINESS SESSION

Mrs Homer Brown Dies at Her Home Near Richwood—Death Comes After a Protracted Illness—Last Races of the Season Given by the Richwood Driving Club

Richwood Oct 25—[Special]—Mrs W H Lake was hostess to the Ladies Aid society of the M P church Wednesday afternoon at her home just east of Richwood The regular business session was held in charge of the president Mrs C W Baker At the close of the business session an excellent lunch was served by Mrs Lake who was assisted in its preparation by Mrs J J Chapman and Mrs Belle White members of the sewing committee Quite a number of guests were present at the meeting The next luncheon will be held at the home of Mrs W W Kinney, November 17

Paul Mather is visiting his grand parents Mr and Mrs D O Mather, of Columbus

Mrs Frank Hottell and little daughter returned to their home in Cleveland, Wednesday after having spent the summer in Richwood Mrs Hottell was accompanied home by her father B C Roberts who will spend several weeks in Cleveland

Mr and Mrs A B Conkright of Columbus were guests of relatives and friends in Richwood Wednesday

Mrs Homer Brown died early Thursday morning at her home a short distance southeast of Richwood, after an illness of about one year She suffered of a complication of diseases She was fifty five years old She moved here about three years ago from North Lewisburg The deceased is survived by her husband and a number of relatives She was a sister of Mrs Alfred Yocum of Marion Funeral services were held Friday afternoon from the late residence, Rev N J Kinney officiating The remains were taken to North Lewisburg for interment

The closing races of the season given by the Richwood Driving club Thursday and Friday were not well attended although some excellent sport was to be seen The weather was very pleasant and the track was in fine condition Over seventy five horses were entered and the programs were unusually interesting On Friday two of the races dwindled down to two starters but all the other events were well filled The fastest time was in the free for all pace by Major W in 1 07 The best trotting time was the 2 11¼ of McShadd owned and driven by Carl Allgower The winners were awarded handsome blankets

The following Richwood people attended the Nordica concert at Delaware Friday evening Rev Charles B Cramer Miss Chapman Mrs A B Simons Misses Mary Hastings Blanche Whitehead, Lella Winter Mary and Georgeana Peet

John Allen left for Cleveland a few days ago to visit his daughter Mrs Beatrice Andrews

Mr and Mrs W D Cameron went to Cleveland Friday to spend several days with their daughter Mrs Lill Johnson Mr Johnson is employed as an instructor in manual training in the schools of East Cleveland

Mrs E E Enlow has returned from Tuscola, Illinois where she visited relatives

Mrs W H Willis and her sister, Miss Maude Hough were hostesses, Friday evening to the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church at their home on Beatty avenue The early part of the evening was given over to a business session and at its adjournment several hours were spent socially Several clever guessing contests were enjoyed Refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mrs H A Spicer Mrs J P Rapp Misses Maude Hough Inez Humphreys and Llewelyn Jones The next social will be held in December at the home of D L McCombs on Wood street when the election of officers will take place

Mr and Mrs W H Lake were called to East Liberty Friday by the serious illness of the latter brother George Smallwood

I N Smart who resides southeast of Richwood has gone to Calgary Alberta Canada where he will spend some time looking over the country

Isaiah Tyler left Tuesday night for DeWitteville New York to visit his aged mother Mrs Lovina Tyler who is making her home with a son Rev Myron Tyler and family Mrs Tyler is almost ninety years old and until about one year ago she made her home in Richwood with her daughter Mrs J P Tedley

Mrs J I Mumford of Harriman Tennessee is visiting her sisters Mrs Jason Case and Mrs W C Hastings

Mrs Elizabeth Haines has been visiting relatives in York during the past week

Mrs G W Patrick and daughter of West Middleburg and Mrs Harry Collins and daughter of Urbana spent the past week with Charles Adams and family and Mrs Lenora Adams

Mrs Cal Bachelor, of Galena has been the guest of her niece Mrs W H Lake, and of her aunt Mrs Sarah Moses just east of Richwood, during the past several days

Mrs A L Ransome was hostess to the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon, at her home northwest of Richwood A very interesting program was rendered and a delightful social hour was enjoyed at its close

Mrs J J Champman is seriously ill at her home on east Blagrove street

Mrs Ruth Wiles of Newark has been the guest of her brother Amos Tanner of Beatty avenue during the past week

Mrs D S Copp has returned from Shoulder Blade Breathitt county Kentucky where she spent several days with Mrs M O Everett, a missionary and instructor in the Methodist Protestant school at that village

Mrs Clara Merkle of Muskingum county has been the guest of her cousin Miss Mary Smith during the past week

Mr and Mrs Bert Snedeker have gone to Marion, where the former has employment and where they will begin housekeeping The couple were married October 17 The bride was formerly Miss Hazel Hull living near Richwood

KLOEB'S DEATH HAS IMPORTANT BEARING

Chairman of Democratic State Central Committee

OPPOSES HARMON FOR CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Is a Member of Garber Faction Death Will Give Occasion for a Test of Strength Between the Two Big Democratic Forces in the State Harmon Forgets Differences

Columbus, O, Oct 26—The death of Charles A Kloeb at Celina, Monday, has an important bearing on the present Democratic situation in Ohio He is serving his second term as chairman of the state central committee which committee has to do with the arrangements for the state convention and the deciding of contests within the party

Kloeb belonged to the Garber organization and he was the first to utter hostile words against Governor Harmon which was followed a few days ago by the declaration of Garber that the governor could not be re elected Kloeb had announced that he desired to resign the state chairmanship to clear his affairs for business but made it public that he would hold on to prevent the Harmon faction overriding the Bryan followers in capturing the new chairman of the central committee About that time Kloeb withdrew his application for appointment by Governor Harmon as state insurance commissioner

It will now be necessary for a new chairman of the state central committee to be chosen and this will furnish the first occasion for a trial of strength between the Garber organization and the followers of Harmon It is not believed that the committee will be called together until there is some occasion for it to meet other than the election of a new chairman Edward Hanly the Dayton Democratic leader is vice chairman of the committee He is pro Harmon and will likely be the candidate of the friends of the governor for the chairmanship

Governor Harmon thought little of political advantage when he heard the news of Kloeb's death He showed that it was a distinct shock He has sent a communication of condolence to Mrs Kloeb

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HALLEY'S COMET

by Frederic Campbell, Sc.D.

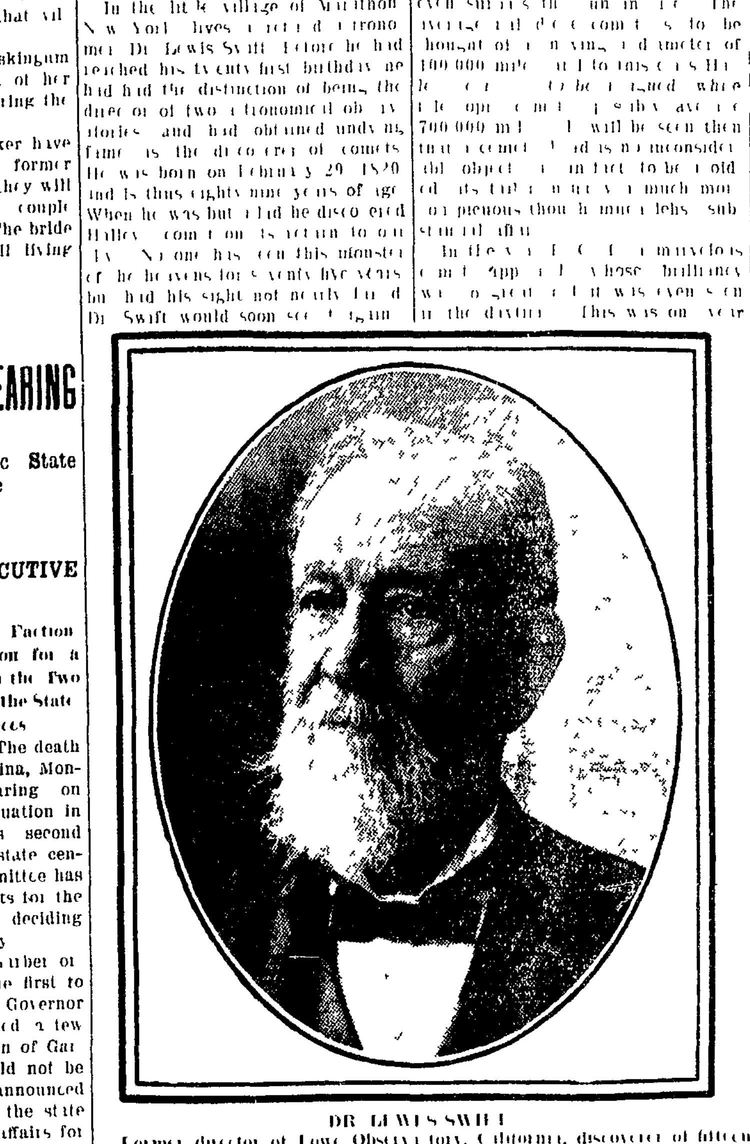
PRESIDENT of the DEPARTMENT of ASTRONOMY, BROOKLYN INSTITUTE.

This series of six illustrated articles on Halley's Comet will be notable as chronicling the arrival in our sky—September 11 last—of that monster, which in 1456 drove all Europe into a frenzy of fear, and which at each of its visitations before and since, has produced a profound impression on all mankind

Absent for seventy five years its return has already been detected by the camera and large telescopes and in December we shall begin to see it with the naked eye Nightly it will brighten and increase in bulk and length, until at its most brilliant development the comet will possibly stretch across one third of the sky reaching as far as a line of sixty full moons Not before late summer will it vanish from view to be seen no more by mortals for another three quarters of a century

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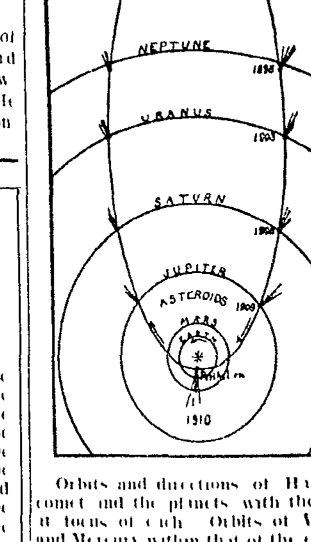
In the little village of Marathon New York lives a retired astronomer Dr Lewis Swift Before he had reached his twenty first birthday he had had the distinction of being the director of two astronomical observatories and had obtained undying fame as the discoverer of comets He was born on February 29 1820 and is thus eighty nine years of age When he was but a lad he discovered Halley's comet on its return to our ... No one has seen this monster of the heavens for seventy five years but had his sight not nearly failed Dr Swift would soon see it again



DR LEWIS SWIFT

Former director of Lowe Observatory, California, discoverer of fifteen comets and 1 000 nebulae

Very few are now living who recall seeing Halley's comet in 1835 The writer has talked with only three such—Professor Swift Daniel B Hasbrouck of Brooklyn ninety years of age and Mr Bush of Lowville New York who was born ninety one years ago What these saw in their youth and are now about to see again the rest of us will gaze upon for the first time Halley's comet that celestial prodigy which in 1456 drove Europe wild with fear was again sighted on September 11 last just where it was ...



Orbits and directions of Halley's comet and the planets with the sun at focus of each Orbits of Venus and Mercury within that of the earth —Drawn by the author

... would be found at this time ... now rushing toward ... with ever increasing ... in the month of December ... months the ... its gleaming ... and ever ... with awe

The ... its nucleus ... in brightness ... actual size ... of 1811 ... miles in diameter ... in 1835 ... 50 000 miles ... comprehension of such figures ... that the diameter of the earth is only 8 000 miles and that of the ... 850 000 mile ... There are comets ... even smaller ... The average ... comet is to be thought of ... diameter of 100 000 miles ... 700 000 miles ... will be seen then that a comet ... is no inconsiderable object ... in fact to be ... much more ... conspicuous though much less substantial affair

In the ... comet appeared whose brilliancy was ... it was even seen in the daytime This was only ... after Caesar's death and the popular belief was that it was his metamorphosed body The same comet has been seen three times since its period being 575 years In A D 1066 Halley's comet was paying one of its periodical visits Eye witnesses described it as presenting a tail which might have swept across one third of the heaven This would mean a length of sixty degrees equal to a line of 120 full moons No wonder if in that ignorant superstitious and troubled age the spectacle nearly deprived Europe of its reason Every time the church bells are heard at noon we are reminded of that fear for it was then that they first rang to call to prayer against the dread visitation It is that comet which in a few weeks our unaided ... will begin to detect ... and slowly moving ... then ... gradually increasing in brilliancy and size until it may ... even exceed the marvelous attainments of 1456

As the comet has been absent from our part of the universe for seventy five years ... twice ... from the sun ... it is ... in ellipse ... opposite extremes and in one of these the sun is located At perihelion it is only about 60 000 000 miles from the sun nearer than ... Venus but at aphelion ... the sun and 3 000 000 000 miles farther than Neptune the most distant known planet of our system ... Halley's comet ... no approach to the regions of ... it ... it ... liquefy ... must be ... the comet comes within not less than 1 000 000 miles of the earth and ... would ... a point 6 000 000 miles distant ... twenty five times ... of the moon

... comets are ... as bright as Venus the brightest star and their nebulous head sometimes appears as large as the moon Then steadily approaching the sun which attracts them within our sky it usually develops a tail which streams back into space following the head when approaching the sun preceding it when returning

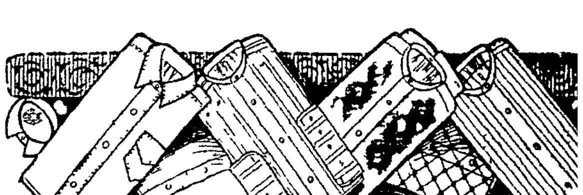
The most celebrated comet of the ... century was Donati's ... in its greatest brilliancy in October 1858 At night men looked from the front of their dwellings ... saw the comet's head near the horizon then they looked from the ... and beheld its splendid tail ... into the opposite part of the sky Donati's comet returns once in about two millenniums and may be looked for again about the ... Halley's comet seems ... when compared with ... of the members of the solar family For it must be remembered that all periodical comets are ... as truly belong to the solar system as Jupiter Venus the moon or the earth For it is the sun's attraction which dominates them all no matter how far they may wander and how long they may disappear All the planets too are traveling ellipses and each of them is at one time much nearer the sun and traveling much more swiftly than at another The paths of periodical comets however do not so closely approach perfect circles but are very greatly compressed and consequently immensely elongated Hence with the ... one end of their orbits and the earth near the sun they periodically visit both sun and earth

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Halley's comet in 1835 showing nucleus head and streaming tail of slight curvature and a length of millions of miles—Drawn by the author

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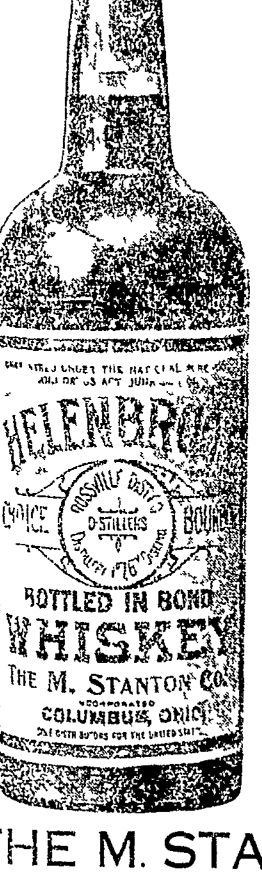
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Ninth Article.

OVER the newly discovered coast lines was written Bradley Land, in honor of John R. Bradley, the benefactor of the expedition. As we passed north of this land there was nothing substantial upon which to fix the eye.

There was at no time a perfectly clear horizon, but the weather was good enough to permit frequent nautical observations. The course was lined on uninteresting blank sheets, but there were elusive signs of land frequent enough to keep up an exploring enthusiasm.

Thus day after day the marches were forced, the incidents and the positions were recorded, but the adventures were promptly forgotten in the mental bleach of the next day's effort. The night of April 7 was made notable by the swing of the sun at midnight. For a number of nights it made grim faces at us in its setting. A teasing mist, drawn as a curtain over the northern sea at midnight, had given curious advantages for celestial staging; settling into this haze, we were unable to determine sharply the advent of the midnight sun, but here was a spectacular play which interested us immensely.

Now the great bulk was drawn out egg shaped, with horizontal lines drawn through it. Again it was pressed into a basin with flaming fires, burning behind a curtain of frosts; blue at other times, it appeared like a huge vase, and it required very little imagination to see purple and violet flowers.

The change was often like magic, but the last display was invariably a face—distorted faces of men or animals were made to suit our fancy.

We had therefore followed the sun's northward advance—from its first peep at midday above the south ice of the polar gateway to its sweep of the northern ice at midnight. From the end of the polar night late in February to the first of the double days and midnight suns we had forced a trail through darkness, blood hardening temperature and over leg breaking irregularities of an unknown world of ice to an area 200 miles from the pole.

The Midnight Sun

Now we had the sun unmistakably at midnight, and its new glory was quite an incentive to our life of shivers. Observations on April 8 placed camp at latitude 86 degrees 36 minutes, longitude 94 degrees 2 minutes. In spite of what seemed like long marches we had advanced only 100 miles in nine days. Much of our hard work was lost in circuitous twists around troublesome pressure lines and high, irregular fields of very old ice. The drift ice was throwing us to the east with sufficient force to give us some anxiety, but with eyes closed to danger and hardships the double days of fatigue and glitter quickly followed one another.

The temperature, ranging between 36 and 46 degrees below zero F., kept persistently near the freezing point of mercury, and, though the perpetual sun gave light and color to the cheerless wastes, we were not impressed with any appreciable sense of warmth. Indeed, the sunbeams seemed to make the frost of the air pierce with a more painful sting.

There was a weird play of orgies, seemingly most impressive at this time—clouds of steam rose from the frozen seas. In marching over the golden glitter snow scalds the face, while the nose is bleached with frost. The sun rose into zones of fire and set into burning fields of ice, but with pain we breathe the chill of death.

In camp a grip of the knife left painful burns from cold metal. To the frozen finger the water was hot. With wine spirits the fire was lighted, while oil delighted the stomach. In dreams heaven was hot, the other place was cold. All nature was false. We seemed to be nearing the chilled flame of a new hades. In our hard life there was nothing genuinely warm. The congenial appearances were all deception, but death offered only cold comfort. There was no advantage in suicide.

We should have enjoyed this curious experience, but with endless bodily discomforts, combined in aching muscles and an overbearing langnor, there could be no real joys from the glories of nature. The pleasure was reserved for a later retrospect.

We now changed our working hours from day to night, beginning usually at 10 and ending at 7. The big marches and prolonged hours of travel with which fortune favored us earlier were no longer possible. Weather conditions were more important in determining the day's run than the hands of the chronometers.

When the storms threatened the start was delayed, and in strong blows the march was shortened, but in one way or another we usually found a few hours in each turn of the dial during which a march could be forced between winds. It mattered little whether we traveled night or day—all hours and all days were alike to us—for we had no accustomed time of rest, no Sundays, no holiday, no landmarks or mileposts to pass. To advance and expend the energy accumulated during one sleep at the cost of our pound of pemmican was the one sole aim in life.

The observations of April 11 gave latitude 87 degrees 20 minutes, longitude 95 minutes 19 seconds. The pack disturbance of Bradley Land was less and less noted in the northward movement. The fields became heavier, larger and less crevassed. Fewer troublesome old floes and less crushed new ice were encountered. With the improved conditions the fire of a racing spirit came for a brief spell.

Passing Highest Reach.

We had now passed the highest reaches of all our predecessors and had gained the inspiration of the farthest north for ourselves. The time was at hand, however, to consider seriously the necessity of an early return.

Nearly half of the food allowance had been used. In the long marches supplies had been more liberally used than anticipated, and now our dog teams were much reduced in numbers. A hard necessity had forced the cruel law of the survival of the fittest, for the less useful dogs were fed to the steady working survivors. Owing to the food limits and the advancing season we could not prudently continue the outward march a fortnight longer.

We had dragged ourselves 300 miles over the polar sea in twenty-four days, including delays and detours, this gave an average of nearly thirteen miles daily on an air line in our course. There remained an unknown line of 160 miles before our ambitions could be satisfied. The same average advance which we had made on the pack would take us to the pole in thirteen days. There were food and fuel enough to risk this adventure.

Work and Observations.

In the diary of the succeeding days' doings there appear numerous tabulations of work and observations. In the new cracks the thickness of the ice was measured. The water was examined for life. The technical details for the making and breaking of ice were studied, and some attention was given to the altitude of uplifted and submerged irregularities.

Atmospheric, surface water and ice temperatures were taken, the barometer was noted, the cloud formations, weather conditions and ice drifts were tabulated. There was a continuous routine of work which does not appear here. It belongs to the specific details of the history of the exploration, which will appear in the later publication of scientific data.

This work, like the effort of the foot in the daily drive of duty, became more or less automatic and does not at any time enter as an active part of the story. As we now run along over seemingly endless fields of ice the physical appearances come under a careful scrutiny. I watched daily for possible signs of dangerous failure in strength for serious disability now meant a fatal termination.

A disabled man could neither continue nor return, but every examination gave another reason to pass by.

man endurance to the limit of the strain of every fiber and cell. The hard work which followed, under an occasional burst of burning sunbeams, brought intense thirst.

Soup a Luxury.

Forcing the habit of the camel, we managed to take enough water before starting to keep sufficient liquid in the veins for the day's march, but it was difficult to await the melting of the ice at camping time.

In two sittings—evening and morning—each took an average of three quarts of water daily. This included the tea and also the luxury of an occasional soup. There was water about everywhere in heaps, but it was in crystals, and before the thirst could be quenched several ounces of precious fuel, which had been carried thousands of miles, must be used. And still this water, so expensive and so necessary to us, ultimately became the greatest bane to comfort. It escaped through the pores of the skin, saturated the boots, formed a band of ice under the knee and a belt of frost about the waist, while the face was nearly always incased in a mask of icicles from the breath—a necessary part of our hard lot in life, and we learned to take the torture philosophically. "From ice it comes, to ice it goes," like the other elements of the body, when the good preacher pronounces the last words "from dust to dust."

From the eighty-seventh to the eighty-eighth parallel we passed for two days over old ice without pressure lines or hummocks. There was no discernible line of demarcation for the fields, and it was quite impossible to determine if we were on land or sea ice. The barometer indicated no elevation, but the ice had the hard, waving surface of glacial ice, with only superficial crevasses. The water obtained from this was not salty, but all of the upper surface of the ice of the polar sea makes similar water. The nautical observations did not seem to indicate a drift, but nevertheless the combined tabulations do not warrant the positive assertion of either land or sea for this area.

An Air Line Course.

This ice gave a cheering prospect. A plain of purple and blue ran in easy undulations to the limits of vision without the usual barriers of uplifted blocks. Over it a direct air line course was possible. Progress, however, was quite as difficult as over the irregular sea. The snow was crusted with large crystals. An increased friction reduced the speed, while the surface, too hard for snowshoes, was also too weak to give a secure footing. The loneliness, the monotony, the hardship of steady, unrelieved travel were now keenly felt.

It is not often that man's horsepower is put to the test as ours was. We were compelled to develop a working energy to the limit of animal capacity. Day after day we had pushed along at the same steady pace over plains of frost and through a mental desert.

As the eye opened at the end of an icy slumber the fire was lighted little by little, the stomach was filled with liquids and solids, mostly cold—enough to last for the day, for there could be no halt or waste of fuel for midday feeding. We next got into harness and paced off the day's pull under the lash of duty. We worked until standing became impossible—longer in light winds, shorter in strong winds, but always until the feet became numb and heavy.

Then came the arduous task of building a snow house. In this the eyes, no longer able to wink, closed, but soon the empty stomach complained, and it was filled up again—not with things that pleased the palate, only hard fuel to feed the inner fires, while the ear sought the soft side of ice to dispel fatigue; no pleasure in mental recreation, nothing to arouse the soul from its icy inclosure.

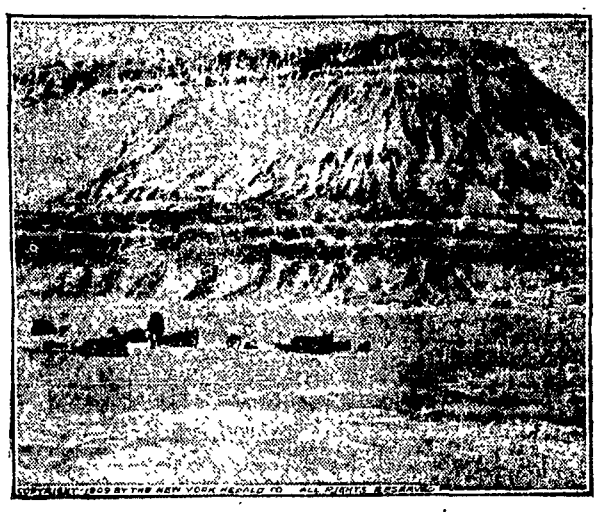
To eat, to sleep, to press one foot ahead of the other, was our steady vocation, like the horse to the cart; but we had not his advantage of an agreeable climate and a comfortable stable at night.

Where Madness Sits.

Words and pictures cannot adequately describe the maddening influence of this sameness of polar glitter, combined with bitter winds, extreme cold and an overworked body. To me there was always the inspiration of anticipation of the outcome of ultimate success, but for my young savage companions it was a torment almost beyond endurance. Their weariness was made evident by a lax use of the whip and an indifferent urging of the dogs. They were, however, brave and faithful to the bitter end, seldom allowing selfish ambitions or uncontrollable passions seriously to interfere with the main effort of the expedition.

On the morning of April 13 a strain of agitating torment reached a breaking point. For days there had been a steady cutting wind from the west, which drove despair to its lowest reaches. The west again blackened to renew its soul despairing blast. The sun was screened with ugly vapors, and the path was as cheerless as the arctic night.

No torment could be worse than that never ceasing rush of icy air. Ahwelah bent over his sled and refused to move. His dogs turned and looked inquiringly. I walked over and stood by his side. Etukishuk came near and stood motionless, staring blankly at the southern skies. Large tears fell from Ahwelah's eyes and piled a little frost of sadness in the blue of his own shadow for several minutes. Not a word was uttered, but I knew that each felt that the time had come to free the fetters of human passions. Slowly Ahwelah said, "Unue sinig pa—oo-ah-tonie e-a-doria ("It is well to die—beyond is impossible").



THROUGH NANSEN'S SOUND.

Tenth Article.

THE observations of April 14 gave latitude 88 degrees 21 minutes, longitude 95 degrees 52 minutes. We were but 100 miles from the pole, but there was nothing to relieve the mental strain of the icy despair. The wind came with the same satanic cut from the west.

With teeth set and newly sharpened resolutions, we set out for that last 100 miles. Some dogs had gone into the stomachs of their hungry companions, but there still remained a sufficient pull of well tried brute force for each sled, and, though their bony vigor had been lost in the long drag, they still broke the frigid silence with an occasional outburst. A little fresh enthusiasm from the drivers was quickly followed by canine activity.



DR. COOK ON BOARD THE HANS EGEDE.

We were in good trim to cover distance economically. The sledges were light; our bodies were thin. All the muscles had shriveled, but the dogs retained much of their strength. Thus stripped for the last lap, one horizon after another was lifted.

In the forced effort which followed we were frequently overheated. The temperature was steady at 41 degrees below zero F., but perspiration came with ease and a certain amount of pleasure. Later, however, there followed a train of suffering for many days. The delight of the birdskin shirt was changed for the chill of the wet blanket. The mittens, the boots and the fur stockings became quite useless until dried out.

Furs Soon Dried.

Fortunately, at this time the sun was warm enough to dry the furs in about three days if lashed to the sun by side of the sled. In these last days we felt more keenly the pangs of perspiration than in all our earlier adventures.

The amber colored goggles were persistently used, and they afforded a protection to the eyes which was quite a revelation, but in spite of every precaution our distorted, frozen, burned and withered faces lined a map of the hardships en route.

We were curious looking savages. The perpetual glitter induced a squint which distorted the face in a remarkable manner. The strong light reflected from the crystal surface threw the muscles about the eye into a state of chronic contraction. The pupil was reduced to a mere pinhole.

There was no end of trouble at hand in endeavoring to keep the windows of the soul open, and all of the effect was run together in a set expression of hardship and wrinkles which should be called the boreal squint.

Nearing the Pole.

This boreal squint is a part of the russet bronze physiognomy which falls to the lot of every arctic explorer. The early winds, with a piercing temperature, start a flush of scarlet, while frequent frostbites leave figures in black. Later the burning sun browns the skin; subsequently strong winds sop the moisture, harden the skin and leave open fissures.

The hard work and reduced nourishment contract the muscles, dispel the fat and leave the skin to shrivel up in folds. The imprint of the goggles, the set expression of hard lines and the mental blank of the environment have removed all spiritual animation. We have the color and the lines of old russet apples and would easily pass for prehistoric progenitors of man.

In the enforced effort to spread out the stiffened legs over the last reaches there was no longer sufficient energy at camping times to erect a snow shelter. The silk tent was then pressed into use.

Though the temperature was still very low when the sun was high, its congenial rays pierced the silk fabric and rested softly on our brows closed in heavy slumber. In strong winds it was still necessary to erect a sheltering wall to shield the tent.

Optical Illusions.

Signs of land were still seen every day, but they were deceptive optical illusions and a mere verdict of fancy. It seemed that something must happen, some line must cross our horizon, to mark the important area into which we were pressing.

When the sun was low the eye ran over moving plains in brilliant waves of color to dancing horizons. The mirages turned things topsy turvy. Inverted lands and queer objects ever rose and fell in shrouds of mystery, but all of this was due to the atmospheric magic of the midnight sun.

With a lucky series of daily astronomical observations our position was now accurately fixed for each stage of progress. As we neared the pole the imagination quickened, and a restless, almost hysteric excitement came over us. The boys fancied they saw beaver and seals, and I had a new land under observation frequently, but with a change in the direction of light or an altered trend in our temperament the horizon cleared and we became eager only to push farther into the mystery.

From the eighty-eighth to the eighty-ninth the ice was in very large fields and the surface was less irregular, but in other respects it was about the same as below the eighty-seventh. We noticed here also an extension of the range of vision. We seemed to see longer distances and the ice along the horizon had a less angular outline.

The color of the sky and the ice also changed to deeper purple blues. We had no way of checking these impressions by other observations. The eagerness to find something unusual may have fired the imagination, but since the earth is flattened at the pole perhaps a widened horizon should be detected.

At 8 o'clock on the morning of April 19 we camped on a picturesque old field with convenient hummocks, to which we could easily rise for the frequent outlook which we now maintained. The tent was pitched. The dogs were silenced by blocks of pemmican. In us new enthusiasm was aroused by a liberal pot of pea soup and a few chips of frozen meat, and then we bathed in life giving sunbeams, screened from the piercing air by silk strands. It was a beautiful day, and had our sense of appreciation not been blunted by accumulated fatigue we would have greatly enjoyed the play of light and color in the ever changing scene of sparkle.

The Eskimos were soon lost in a profound sleep, the only comfort in their hard lives, but I remained awake, as had been my habit on succeeding days, to get nautical observations. The longitude calculations lined us at 91 degrees 3 minutes. At noon the sun's altitude was carefully set on the sextant, and the latitude quickly reduced gave 89 degrees 31 minutes—twenty-nine miles from the pole.

My heart jumped for joy, and the unconscious commotion which I was creating awakened Etukishuk. I told him that in two average marches we would reach the "tigi shu" (the big nail).

Ahwelah was awakened with a kick, and together they went out to a hummock and through glasses sought for a mark to locate so important a place as the terrestrial axis. If but one sleep beyond it must be seen.

I tried to explain that the pole was not visible to the eye; that its position was located only by a repeated use of the various instruments. This entirely satisfied their curiosity, and they burst out in hurrahs of joy. For two hours they chanted and danced the passions of wild life.

Sleep Is Impossible.

It was the first real sign of pleasure or rational emotion which they had shown for several weeks. For some time I had entertained the fear that we no longer possessed the strength to return to land, but the unbridled flow of vigor dispelled that idea.

More sleep was quite impossible. We brewed an extra pot of tea, prepared a favorite broth of pemmican, dug up a surprise of fancy biscuits and filled up on good things to the limit of the allowance for our final feast days. The dogs, which had joined the chorus of gladness, were given an extra lump of pemmican. A few hours more were agreeably spent in the tent, and then we started with a new spirit for the uttermost north.

We were excited to a fever heat. The feet were light on this run. Even the dogs caught the infectious enthusiasm and rushed along at a pace which made it difficult for me to keep a sufficient advance to set a good course. The horizon was still searched for something to mark the approaching boreal center, but nothing unusual was seen. It was the same expanse of moving seas of ice on which we had lived for 500 miles.

But, looking through gladdened eyes, the scene assumed a new glory. There were plains of gold fenced in purple walls, with gilded crests. It was one of the few days on the stormy pack when all nature smiled with cheering lights.

From my position a few hundred yards ahead of the sleds I could not resist the temptation to turn frequently to see the movement of the dog train with its new fire. In this direction the color scheme was reversed. The icy walls were in gold and burning colors, while the plains represented every shade of purple and blue.

At the North Pole.

Through this sea of color the dogs came with a spirited tread noses down, tails up and shoulders braced to the straps like chariot horses. The young Eskimos, chanting songs of love, came with easy step. The long whip was swung with a brisk crack, and all over there rose a cloud of frosted breath.

Camp was pitched early in the morning of April 20. The sun was northeast; the pack glowed in tones of lilac; the normal westerly air of shivers brushed our frosty faces. The surprising burst of enthusiasm had been nursed to its limits, and under it a long march was made over average ice with the usual result of overbearing fatigue. Too tired and sleepy to wait for a cup of tea, melted snows were poured down and the pemmican was pounded with the ax to ease the task of the jaws. The eyes closed before the meal was finished, and the world was lost to us for eight hours. The observation gave latitude 89 degrees 46.5 minutes, longitude 91 degrees 52 minutes.

With the boys singing and the dogs howling we started off after midnight on April 21. The dogs looked large and noble as they came along that day, while Etukishuk and Ahwelah, though thin and ragged, had a dignity as heroes of the greatest human battle which had ever been fought with remarkable success.

We were all lifted to the paradise of winners as we stepped over the snows of a destiny for which we had risked life and willingly suffered the tortures of an icy hell.

The ice under us seemed almost sacred. When the pedometer registered fourteen and a half miles we camped and calmly went to sleep, feeling that we were turning on the earth's axis.

The observations, however, gave 89 degrees 59 minutes 45 seconds. We therefore had the pole, or the exact spot where it should be, within sight.

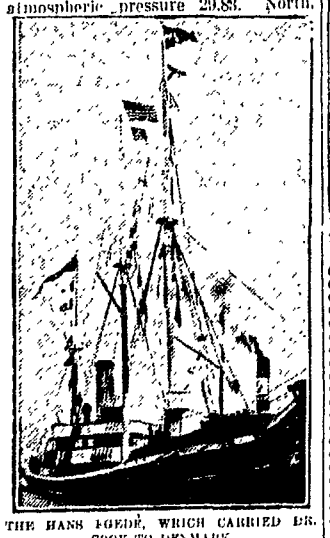
We advanced the fifteen seconds, made supplementary observations, pitched the tent, built a snow igloo and prepared to make ourselves comfortable for a stay long enough for two rounds of observations.

Our position was thus doubly assured, and a necessary day of rest was gained. Etukishuk and Ahwelah enjoyed the day in quiet repose, but I slept very little. My goal was reached; the ambition of my life had been fulfilled. How could I sleep away such overwhelming moments of elation?

The Dream Realized.

At last we had reached the boreal center. The dream of nations had been realized. The race of centuries was ours. The flag was pinned to the coveted pole. The year was 1908, the day April 21.

The sun indicated local noon, but time was a negative problem, for here all meridians meet. With a step it was possible to go from one part of the globe to the opposite side—from the hour of midnight to that of midday. Here there are but one day and one night in each year. The latitude was 90 degrees, the temperature —38.7, the atmospheric pressure 29.88. North, east and west had vanished. It was south in every direction, but the compass, pointing to the magnetic pole, was as useful as ever.



THE HANS EGEDE, WHICH CARRIED DR. COOK TO DENMARK.

Though overjoyed with the success of the conquest our spirits began to change on the next day after all the observations had been taken and the local conditions were studied. A sense of intense loneliness came with a careful scrutiny of the horizon. What a cheerless spot to have aroused the ambition of man for so many ages! Endless fields of purple snows; No life, no land, no spot, to relieve the monotony of frost; We were the only pulsating creatures in a dead world of ice.

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Boys Leave Barn Without Making an Effort To Put Out Fire—Colored Lad Wants To Extinguish Blaze, but Claims He Is Persuaded Not To Do So by White Companion.

Dwight Berry, aged sixteen years, son of Preston Berry, of north Main street, and Truman McMichael, colored, aged eleven years, of north Prospect street, have made confessions to Chief Cornwell and Fire Chief McFarland showing them to be guilty of incendiarism. These boys set fire to the barn of Jacob Berry, last Monday afternoon, the barn being totally destroyed while the barns of William Hayden and Clifford Cass were damaged.

After the fire it was learned that lads had been around the barn and the fire chief and police chief set to work to learn something of their doings. Through a couple of friends of the McMichael boy it was learned that he was one of the boys or was at the fire when it started and as a result the lad was taken to the mayor's office for a sweating out. For fully an hour the two chiefs questioned McMichael, while fully convinced that the boy was entitled to the presidency and medal of the Ananias club he told a story that almost made the chiefs feel ashamed to question him further.

Finally the boy was trapped in one of his answers and through Chief Cornwell was made to confess his part in the play. The boy at first said that he could prove by Dwight Berry where he was when the fire started and this declaration led the chiefs to suspicion Berry as being his companion. The boy, however, implicated a cousin of his in the deal, but on investigation it was found that his cousin was in school at the time the fire occurred. The boy was then taken before his mother who compelled him to tell the officer the truth and he said it was the Berry boy who was with him and fired the barn.

According to the story of McMichael they went into the barn to look for junk and it being a windy day they decided to take a smoke while in shelter. Berry threw the lighted match down after he lit his pipe and it fell in some loose hay which started to burn. The McMichael boy told him to put it out or it would set the barn on fire, but the Berry boy said it would go out, but that they had better skip. On reaching Main street the boys saw the smoke rolling from the barn and the colored youth said he believed he would return and try and put it out, but Berry said if he did he would miss half of his life and the colored boy was influenced to leave with his older white companion.

After the police chief and fire chief had the case worked out, L. D. Wilford, of Bucyrus, assistant state fire marshal, came here Saturday to look for the Berry boy, who for two days could not be found by the chiefs. Assisted by the chiefs of the two departments, Wilford found the Berry boy, Saturday evening, and took him to police station. The lad at first denied having anything to do with setting the barn on fire, but confessed. Owing to the ages of the boys, affidavits will be filed against them in the probate court by the fire marshal. The McMichael lad has been released and the father of the Berry boy stood good for his appearance Monday.

BOYS GET HEARING IN PROBATE COURT

Sentence of the Lads Is Reserved for a Time.

Sixteen-year-old Dwight Berry, white, and fourteen-year-old Truman McMichael, colored, were arraigned before Judge W. S. Spencer in the juvenile court, Tuesday. The older boy pleaded guilty to a charge of arson preferred by Deputy State Fire Marshal L. D. Wilford, of Bucyrus, and the younger made the same plea to a charge of truancy. Judge Spencer reserved sentence until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock to give him time to consult the members of the county board of visitors with reference to the cases of both boys.

A Big Deal.

A deal involving a money transaction of $87,000 was closed by J. A Ireton, of this city, Saturday when nineteen carloads of cloverseed were sold by the firm of Ireton Brothers & Eichenbary which has elevators in Marion, Van Wert and Paulding.

This is said to be the biggest single cloverseed transaction made in Ohio in recent years. The entire lot was purchased by a large eastern firm for immediate delivery.

The cloverseed sold represents an accumulation of one year. It sold for nearly nine dollars a bushel.

Our idea of a handy man is one who is able to keep his hand in.

MEETING OF CENTRAL OHIO GRAIN DEALERS

Banquet and an Election of Officers Held.

CONDITION OF GRAINS TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Farmers Holding Their Crops for Higher Prices—Corn Is Not in Fit Condition for Handling—Various Central Ohio Towns Are Represented in the Meeting.

The Central Ohio Grain Dealers' association held a banquet and election of officers at the Pilgrim Inn hotel, Friday afternoon. Representatives from Columbus, Bellefontaine, Kenton, Bucyrus, Upper Sandusky, Delaware, Piqua, Sidney, Mansfield, Galion, Richwood and other Ohio towns and cities were present.

"King Corn" was the principal topic under discussion at the meeting. H. W. Fish of Mansfield, who has been acting secretary of the association since the resignation of Charles B. Jenkins, of this city, presided. He called on many of the grain dealers for remarks and the consensus of opinion was that much of the new corn is not yet fit to handle, because it is not drying out as fast this year as last year. It was said that the great bulk of new corn would not be ready to handle for the market before the early part of November.

The general opinion also was that a large share of the wheat crop is being held by the farmers in the hope of getting higher prices and that they are holding their oats with the same view.

A great amount of secrecy was thrown around the meeting and it was not generally known that the grain dealers were in session here. The only Marion members present were J. W. Jones, of the Marion National Mill company, and J. A. Ireton, of the firm of Ireton & Eichenbary.

G. A. Tanner, of Mansfield, was reelected president and H. W. Fish, of Mansfield, secretary and treasurer.

The association meets quarterly. It was decided to hold the next meeting in Columbus.

SPENCER GIVES REASON FOR CHANGING NAME

Changes Initial in Order To Get a Better Job.

Receives a Letter from Telegraph Official in Which a Mistake Is Made in Initials—He Thinks It Necessary To Adopt the Change.

"Judge, what is your middle name?" asked a rather inquisitive individual of Probate Judge William S. Spencer.

"There hangs a story in my middle name," replied Judge Spencer, with a sort of apologetic smile. "My right name is William Henry Spencer instead of William Stewart. My dad named me, but when I got to be a young man I named myself in a peculiar way.

"I was nineteen years old and working in a telegraph office at Belmore, Ohio. I had just learned the trade and always signed with the key just plain 'W. S.' One day I got a letter from a telegraph superintendent in Chicago. I had been trying to get a better job and this letter was with reference to a job. It was addressed to me as W. S. Spencer.

"Well, you know, I was so anxious to get that job, I wrote to the superintendent and instead of writing my real initials I adopted the ones he gave me, W. S., and let her go at that. The telegraph companies are pretty particular about a good many things and I had a boyish idea if the man in Chicago found out my name was William H. and not William S. I might not get the job, so I have always signed ever since as W. S. Spencer.

"What does the middle initial stand for? For a long time it just stood for S., but I finally concluded to tie a name on to it and I called myself William Stewart."

FORMER MARION BOY JOINED IN MARRIAGE

John W. Stokes Marries Alice Peck Wheeler.

Mr. John Wallace Stokes, of East Hampton, New York, and Miss Alice Peck Wheeler, of Southold, New York, were married at the home of the bride, October 20.

The groom is a son of Rev. John Stokes, a former resident of this city, and has many friends and acquaintances here.

DON'T BE MISLED.

Many a life has been cut short by a cough, that was not believed to be serious. Many a backache and side ache follows a coughing spell. Many cough is passed in restlessness caused by coughing. Many a cough "cure" that never cures is tried. Do not be misled. If you cough, take the old reliable Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

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"THE BIG STORE."

The Best $3.00 Soft or Stiff Hats.

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An $18 Overcoat Fact---

Our Overcoats at this price are the same as $23 Overcoats elsewhere—and it'll not take over ten minutes to prove it. More kinds of fine woolens, more patterns, and a much wider range of colors to pick from here. Plenty of the popular greys and mixtures. Tailoring and styles fully up to the $25 standard.

Same statements also apply to our Raincoats at $18, which are splendidly tailored and cut in the very latest styles.

If $12.50 must be your limit, we're at the front again—ready to fit you out with Overgarments that are $16.50 values.

Facts About Finest Overcoats---

Many men who spend moderately for suits go the limit on overcoats—because overcoats last so long. "Going the limit" here means to get the best Overgarments the most skillful tailors can make from the finest imported woolens, and pay $25 or $30, according to quality of cloth and linings. It also means a sure saving of 20 per cent.—a five dollar bill or a ten dollar bill to the good because you buy at the right place.

Men's Trousers Facts---

The big piles of Trousers on our big tables exceed in value the entire contents of most clothing houses—so many kinds and so many of a kind. Prices run from $1.98 to $7. Special lines at $3, $4 and $4.50 on which there's a sure saving to you of a dollar or more.

Facts About $18 Suits---

Ours are $25 suits in everything except the price-marks—just like our overcoats. All the worthy woolens—both American and imported; all the styles that conform to the authorized 1909 Fall and Winter fashion plates; all the touches that tell of tailors who know their business. Take time to look here and look elsewhere—then buy where you can save $7.

Facts About $12.50 Suits---

If the least money is the all-important point we'll clothe you in $16.50 style at a $12.50 cost—and you cannot get creditable clothes for less money.

Facts About Finest Suits---

In "Clubdom," at the high-class cafes, and in the boxes at the theaters, you'll see the type of suits we sell for $25. Custom tailors who make nothing under $50 produce the same styles and the same grades, and use the same imported woolens. The only difference to you is the fact that you get what want right away and get it for a great deal less money.

YOUNG PEOPLE GIVE FRIENDS A SURPRISE

Miss Harriman Marries Mr. January at Richwood.

Richwood Oct. 22.—[Special.]—The many friends of Miss Flavilla Harriman were greatly surprised to learn of her marriage, Thursday evening, to Mr. Wickliffe January. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Harriman, at 7 o'clock, and was witnessed only by Mr. and Mrs. Harriman and the bride's niece, Leah Harriman of Marion. Rev. N. J. Kinney was the officiating minister.

Mrs. Harriman who spent the past year with her sister, Miss Dona May Harriman, in Los Angeles, returned home about a month ago, but her friends were not apprised of the approaching nuptials.

Mrs. January is an accomplished young woman with a pleasing personality. She is a sister of J. S. and S. I. Harriman, of Marion, and is very well known in that city, where she has visited many times.

Mr. January is an oil salesman and is highly esteemed.

Mr. and Mrs. January will make their home in Columbus where Mr. January has his headquarters.

MISS ETHEL NELSON AND CHARLES HITE

Are United in Marriage at Home of Elder Levi Hite.

Miss Ethel May Nelson, of Grand Prairie township, and Mr. Charles N. Hite, of Morral, were united in marriage at the home of Elder Levi V. Hite, on north Main street, Thursday October 21. Elder Hite, a relative of the groom, performed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

The young people will make their future home on a farm in Grand Prairie township.

COUSIN OF PRESIDENT DIES FRIDAY, OCT. 22

Death Comes at Home of Daughter at Richwood.

DANIEL T. ROBINSON REACHES EXTREME AGE

Mr. Robinson Is Born in the State of New York—He Comes to Marion County in 1851 and Later Moves to Richwood, Where He Passes the Remainder of His Life.

Richwood Oct. 22.—[Special.]—Daniel Taft Robinson, a cousin of President Taft, died this morning at 8 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Tyler, with whom he made his home at the ripe old age of ninety-four. His death was caused by old age and complications.

Mr. Robinson was born in the state of New York. In 1851 he came to Ohio settling in Marion county where he resided until twenty years ago when he came to Richwood, having made his home here ever since. He was a grand old man and during his long and useful life gathered around him a host of friends.

Aside from his daughter, Mrs. Tyler, two daughters survive, Mrs. J. D. Lynn, of Marion, and Mrs. E. E. Hixon of Chonotassa, Florida. Eighteen grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren also survive. Mr. Robinson was left a widower twenty years ago.

The funeral will be held from the Baptist church, Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. L. S. Colborn officiating. Interment will be made in the Richwood cemetery.

F. A. Stengle, optician, 8 State St. 240-e-&wk

MISS NELLIE HARRIS DIES OF THE WOUND

Shoots Herself in the Left Temple, Saturday.

Miss Nellie Harris, of Bucyrus, who, for the past year, made her home with Mrs. Lillian McFarland, at Wapakoneta, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night as the result of a bullet wound in her left temple, inflicted by herself, Saturday morning, with suicidal intent. Miss Harris was a daughter of the late Congressman Stephen R. Harris, of Bucyrus, and had large real estate holding at that place.

Miss Harris was subject to nervous attacks and was melancholy for a week preceding her rash deed. She fired the shot while alone in her bedroom. The deceased leaves two brothers and one sister. They are William, residing in Galion; Cavin, in the theatrical business, and Mrs. R. V. Sears, of Bucyrus.

The remains of Miss Harris were taken to Bucyrus Monday afternoon and were placed in the vault.

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME ON A FARM

Miss Almendinger and Mr. Wasserbeck Are Married.

Miss Edna Almendinger and Mr. Christian Wasserbeck were united in marriage at the home of Rev. George Wahl, of south Prospect street, Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Wahl officiating. They were unattended.

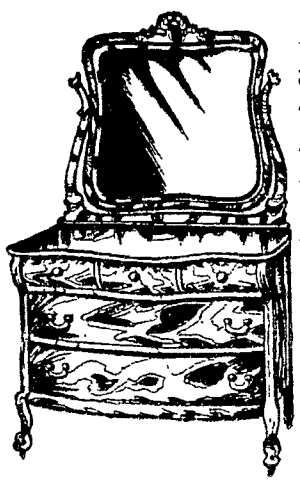
Mr. and Mrs. Wasserbeck will make their future home on a farm three miles west of Green Camp.

DON'T GO HOME WITHOUT A STAR

Whenever you are in Marion on Saturday afternoons, don't go home without a Daily Star. It has 16 to 20 pages of interesting reading matter with comic supplement in colors enough to last all day Sunday. Two cents per copy of newsboys or at Star office. 30-wky-tf

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PREPARED FOR TUBERCULOSIS

State Hospital at Mt Vernon Is Dedicated

CROWD WITNESSES THE CEREMONIES

The Institution Costs the State $600,000

The State Owns 311 Acres of Land on Which Buildings Are Erected Hospital Has a Capacity of Little More Than 300—Reception Cottages Will Accommodate Twenty Four, Living Cottages, Twenty

Mt Vernon O Oct 27 In the presence of hundreds of people including a number of state officials the new state sanitarium for tuberculosis near here was dedicated today

The state owns [illegible] acres of land two and a half miles out of Mt Vernon On this [illegible] acres is virgin forest land [illegible] buildings are so located that this forest serves to break westward and northerly winds An administration building two reception cottages and eight living cottages of dark red brick with buff sandstone trimmings all of fire resisting materials have been completed and are ready for service Each reception cottage will accommodate 24 each living cottage [illegible] so that the total capacity is a little more than [illegible]

Patients in the incipient stages of the disease alone will be received They will be sent at first to the reception cottages where each case will receive individual study and treatment When it has been fully diagnosed and has made some improvement the patient will be assigned to one of the living cottages the location of which and its distance from the administration building where all meals are served being determined by the physical condition of the patient The institution was planned by Dr C O Probst and cost $600 000

GRAIN DEALERS OF STATE ACT

Seek To Head Off Dreaded Federal Inspection of Cereals

Columbus O Oct [illegible] —Action was taken at the session of the Ohio Grain Dealers association which will [illegible] a national movement among grain dealers and millers to fight federal inspection of grain United States inspection has been the bugbear that has terrified the state and national associations of grain operators at every session of congress for the past few years The Ohio association has devised a plan which it is thought will ward off this federal interference Resolutions were adopted favoring the establishment of a national grain commission which will establish grain grades and grain inspection bureaus in all the grain dealing centers of the country

A uniform [illegible] all grains will [illegible] to the [illegible] by [illegible] millers [illegible] will be instituted By this method it is hoped to eliminate all [illegible] inspection

ARRESTED FOR DYNAMITE JOBS

Zanesville Bartender Held for the Gary Explosions

Zanesville O Oct 28 Joseph Dickson fifty [illegible] who had been employed as bartender for William Fisher until the suppression of saloons which were running unlawfully after the county went dry under the Rose law was arrested today on the charge of having dynamited the residence of Daniel B Gary head of the Civic League and the Zanesville Furniture Factory Gary being the president of that company

The affidavit was sworn to by Willard Wheaton and Fred Glazer two young men who claim to have heard Dickson [illegible] of the crime while intoxicated

The explosion occurred on the morning of October 11 and were the culmination of a bitter war by the Civic League on [illegible]

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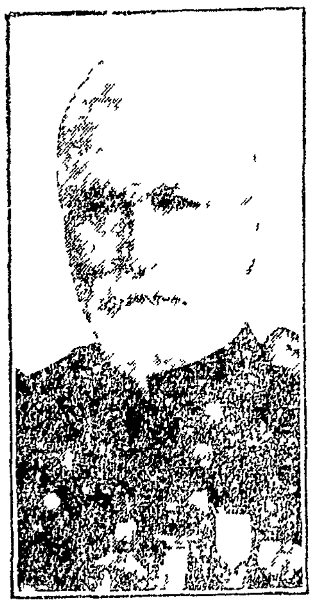


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VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR DIES

General O O Howard Succumbs Heart Failure

[illegible]



GENERAL O O HOWARD

of first lieutenant When the civil war broke out General Howard resigned from the chair of mathematics [illegible] at the academy My country needs me He went to the war as colonel of the Third Maine volunteers At the first battle of Bull Run he commanded [illegible] and was made a [illegible] soon after He lost an arm at the battle of Fair Oaks on June 1 1862 but [illegible] sumed his command the next month and saw action at Antietam Gettysburg and Chattanooga

DOORS OF JAIL AWAIT HEINZE

Copper Magnate's Brother Also Fined for Obstructing Justice

New York Oct 27—Arthur P Heinze brother of F Augustus Heinze was sentenced by Judge [illegible] in the United States circuit court to pay a fine of $500 and to serve 10 days in prison

Heinze was convicted last June on the charge of obstructing the administration of justice by aiding [illegible] flight to Canada of [illegible] Lucius [illegible] United Copper company who was [illegible]

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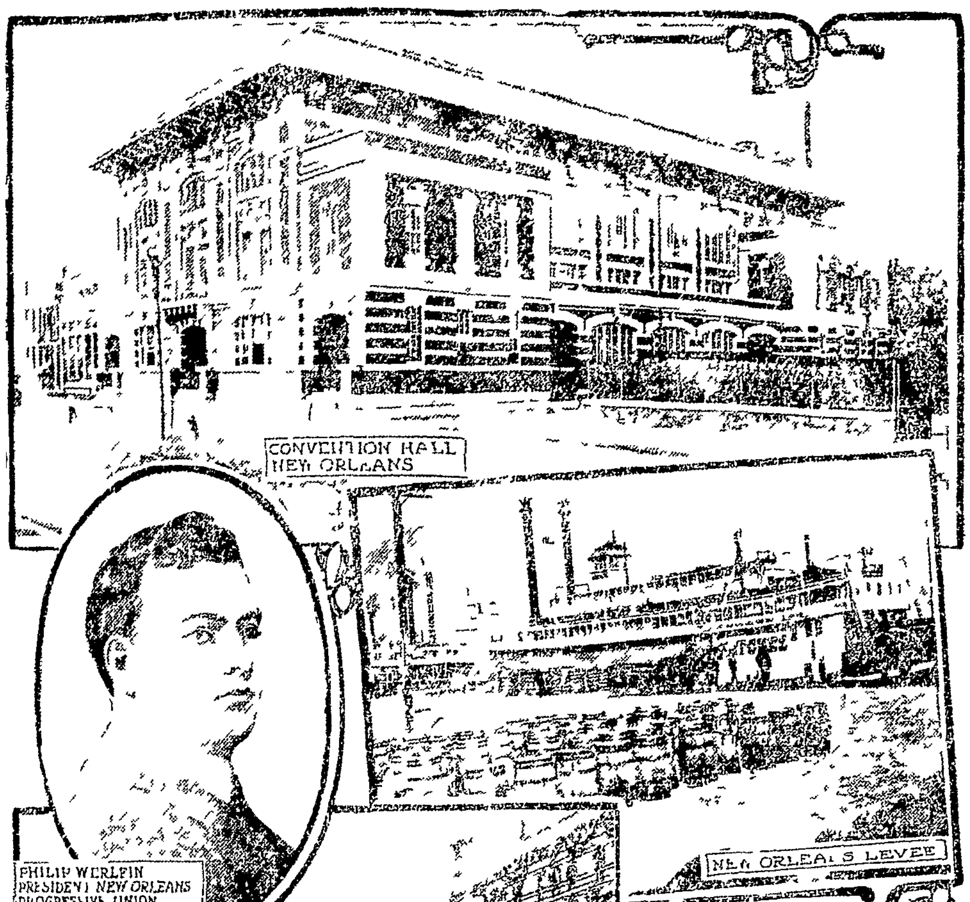


TAFT'S LIEUTENANT READS THE SIGNS

Voters Predicts President's Popularity Will Reelect Him

[illegible]

SCENES IN NEW ORLEANS, WHERE TAFT WILL ADDRESS DEEP WATERWAY LEGIONS



THE MINISTER OF NICARAGUA

Tenders His Resignation to President Zelaya,

AND IT'S ACCEPTED BY THE PRESIDENT

Espinosa's Brother at Head of New Government

The Minister Feels That He Could Not Stand Against His Own Blood is the Representative of the Nicaraguan Government—In Case Provisional Government Is Recognized Will Probably Act for It

Washington Oct 27 Dr Don Rodolfo Espinosa minister of the Nicaraguan government in Washington announced today that he had tendered his resignation to President Zelaya and that it had been accepted [illegible]

[illegible] in the settlement of the Emery claim It is taken for granted here that Senor Espinosa's return to Washington waits merely for the recognition of the provisional government by the United States [illegible] will be appointed minister of the new regime as soon as the [illegible] are established [illegible] may be delivered by the possibility of [illegible] disturbance in Central America growing out of the present revolution [illegible] dent Zelaya [illegible] Salvador and any movement of this kind would probably be the signal for an attack on President [illegible] Cabrera of Guatemala [illegible]

Honduras which is dominated by Zelaya will also make an attempt to throw off the yoke

SURPRISE IS FOUND IN LEPER COLONY

One Half of the Patients Do Not Have Leprosy

Honolulu Oct 27—Surprise and condemnation are heard on every hand as the result of the partial report of the medical commission [illegible] examining the lepers of [illegible] island which says that of the [illegible] supposed lepers examined [illegible] not have leprosy and never [illegible]

[illegible]

RATHER STRENUOUS WEDDING NIGHT

[illegible]

SACRIFICED FOR FAMILY

Is the Life of George Benjamin of Chicago

HE DELIBERATELY TAKES HIS LIFE

That His Loved Ones May Recover Insurance

The Last Day of Grace Having Expired and the Mortgage on His Home Being Due Benjamin Buries His Face in a Sponge Saturated with Chloroform—Company Will Pay Family $20,000

Chicago Oct 27—A pathetic tale of devotion even unto death was told today in connection with the suicide of George D Benjamin former trade manager of the Springfield Coal company of Illinois

Benjamin had failed to pay the interest on mortgages long past due on his residence at Frankfort Indiana The last day of grace had been reached There was only one way in which money might be raised [illegible] his wife and their children from hunger He carried four life insurance policies on his life aggregating $20 000 [illegible]

[illegible]

Officials of the insurance company in which Benjamin was insured said the amount of the policies would be [illegible]

SPELLING CONTEST A GREAT SUCCESS

[illegible]

SALOONISTS ARE CAUGHT

300 of Them Must Pay the Liquor Tax

CONTINUE TO SELL IN DRY COUNTIES

Fifty Two Are Caught in City of Zanesville

Columbus Alienist Says Beam Is Insane—Suffragettes Meet in Elyria Alimony Allowed for Common Law Wife—Ohio Bankers Don't Want Postal Savings Banks—Dennis Rader Admitted to Bail

Columbus O Oct 27 — The tax paid by illicit sellers of liquor in [illegible] dry counties in the state [illegible] will more than equal the total expense of conducting the department The legislature appropriated $[illegible] for the department and the tax will exceed that sum Last [illegible] the names of 201 persons were certified to the auditor of state to be placed on the duplicate for the liquor tax and this year the number will be not less than 300 Already a larger number have been put on the duplicate than last year The biggest killing was at Zanesville where some [illegible] saloonists continued in business after the county voted dry

Beam Insane, Says Alienist

Lima O Oct [illegible]—H A Radabaugh a Columbus specialist in nervous diseases was the principal witness of the day in the Beam murder trial Radabaugh stated that in his opinion the prisoner was insane and labored under the delusion that whatever wrong he had committed would be righted by killing Mrs Diltz and then himself

Suffragettes Meet in Elyria

Elyria O Oct 27 – The convention of the Ohio Womens Suffrage association began a two days session here Mrs Eliot M Avery of Cleveland representing the Daughters of the American Revolution addressed the suffragettes Miss [illegible] Allen of Cleveland spoke on The College Woman and the Ballot

Alimony For Common Law Wife

Columbus O Oct 27 Katharine L Beeman of Cleveland common law wife of Lester A Beeman son of the late chewing gum king won a $16 000 judgment in the supreme court This court affirmed the lower court in ordering that stock owned by Lester A Beeman be transfered to her as alimony

Don't Want Postal Banks

Findlay O Oct 27—Group Two of the Ohio Bankers association to the number of 100 members met here Resolutions passed declare unalterable opposition to the establishment of postal savings banks by the government Guaranteeing bank deposits is also declared inimical to safe banking

Rader Admitted to Bail

Circleville O Oct 27—Dennis Rader who shot and killed Joseph Carlelero a few weeks ago was indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter His attorneys immediately made application for bond which was fixed at $[illegible] and he was released from the county jail

Killed at Zanesville Mine

Zanesville O Oct [illegible] Fred Smith a collier at the Red Tipple coal mine here was instantly killed A cut of cars crashed down the incline [illegible] railroad track [illegible] Smith through a [illegible] on to the tracks 40 feet below

Death Notice Kills Man

Coshocton O Oct [illegible] Six hours after being notified of the death of his son George Coser at McKees Rocks Pa his aged father George Coser Sr died at his home here from effects of the shock aged [illegible]

Bull Fatally Gores Farmer

Delaware O Oct 27—Worked at [illegible] a bull [illegible] George C [illegible] living six miles north of this [illegible] fatally gored [illegible]

Child Killed by Train

[illegible] O Oct [illegible] Loretta the [illegible] daughter of Frank Kaple [illegible] killed by eastbound [illegible] & Ohio [illegible] mail train at [illegible] coming from school

SHOES WILL BEAR THE UNION LABEL

[illegible] Mass Oct 28—The [illegible] which has existed for some [illegible] the Boot and Shoe [illegible] and W L Douglas [illegible] the Douglas shoe [illegible] settled and the [illegible] Douglas factory will at once [illegible] making shoes bearing the union label

IMPROVE OHIO AS EXPERIMENT

Then Proceed with Deepening of Mississippi.

THAT'S ADVICE OF PRESIDENT TAFT

Cannon Throws Wet Blanket on the Scheme.

Tells People at Cairo That There Is No Necessity for Bond Issue Until Plans for Improvement of Waterways Are Completed — Argues Subject with Taft—Neither Will Admit Other Is Right

Hickman Ky Oct 27 — As they journey down the Mississippi river President Taft and Speaker Cannon [illegible] fighting out the question whether or not bonds should be issued for the improvement of inland waterways

Speaker Cannon will be found supporting Mr Taft in the recommendation provided the president can not be dissuaded but the speaker will do his best to get him to change his mind

Uncle Joe's enemies are saying that his support of a bond issue would be only a partial fulfillment of promises made by the Republican leaders in congress when President Taft signed the Payne tariff bill In the meantime however the speaker is showing on this cruise down the river that he differs radically from the president on the proposition The president in one or two of his recent speeches has condemned the plan on which the waterways improvements have been carried out At Cairo the speaker lauded the contract system before the president's face It has operated well said he hundreds of millions of dollars have been expended It is a good system It has brought order into the method of doing the government work and I am for the system

No Necessity For Bonds

He went on to say that there was no necessity for the issuing of bonds until the plans for the improvements had been definitely settled and the plants for the work had been assembled We can pay for the plants said Uncle Joe from our ordinary revenues to be sure we are right before we go ahead

The speaker's speech was sort of a wet blanket for the 15 boatloads of deep waterway rooters although Uncle Joe had done his best to soften its effect He had declared that he indorsed every word of Mr Taft's St Louis waterways speech then he promptly turned around and made exceptions You want to know which way I stand on the improvement of inland waterways and our harbors says Mr Cannon Well just read the president's St Louis speech and then you can say to yourself what Cannon and all the rest of the Illinois delegation believes

Nearly all of the delegates who are steering their course over the Mississippi river sandbars are rooting only for a deepening of that river into a 14 foot channel That was the improvement which is pressing That is the one for which congress must authorize bonds in the next session

President Taft indicated that the Mississippi could wait until the Ohio river improvements were finished It was a cruel blow to the junketers They have three days more of this sandbar dodging cruise ahead of them and the president has taken all the wind out of their sails so far as the next session of congress is concerned

Safe In Making Statement

[illegible] this statement at Cairo [illegible] is perfectly safe so far as [illegible] of 10 000 was concerned [illegible] at the mouth of the Ohio [illegible] of the deep waterway [illegible] Mr Taft of being [illegible] reserving this important [illegible] for Cairo and he accepted the imputation

President Taft's voice was husky [illegible] and he had trouble in making himself heard at all of his stops He had to cut one or two of his speeches short

Uncle Joe in his Cairo speech made an heroic suggestion I'm not in the same situation as the president said he He had a great deal to say but lacked the voice I've got the voice but have not much to say If I could only put my throat on his shoulders and give him my voice with his head what a magnificent talk you would get now

Millie Snow, daughter of a farm laborer exhibited no fewer than 10[illegible] specimens of wild flowers at a flower show in Halberton, England She is only fifteen years old, still her knowledge of wild flowers in England is surpassed by only a few experts who have given their lives to the study

Woman thinks she will be man's superior when she gets her right

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35 BELIEVED TO HAVE PERISHED

As Result of the Wrecking of the Hestia,

WHICH GOES DOWN OFF GRAND MANAN

Six Who Stay Aboard Vessel Are Saved.

Two Boats Swamped in the Effort To Save Them—The Third, Which Contains Twenty-Seven Persons, Is Greatly Overloaded and Is Thought To Have Succumbed to the Waves—Wreck a Total Loss.

Eastport, Me., Oct. 27.—Failure today to hear any news of a missing boatload of passengers and crew of the Donaldson liner, Hestia Glasgow to Baltimore, wrecked yesterday morning on the rocks off Grand Menan, New Brunswick, has convinced shipping men here that the boat is lost. This will bring the loss of life to thirty-five, of whom five were passengers.

The only persons saved of the forty-one souls aboard the liner were six of the crew who stayed aboard when the last boat was lowered.

When the vessel went on the rocks between the Gannet rock and Machier Seal island, the first boat lowered fell empty into the sea. Into the second boat went four of the passengers, but the seas swamped it almost at the steamer's side.

Third Boat Small.

The third boat was too small to contain all the remainder of the crew, and they stuck to the ship.

In a swirl of foam, the third boat vanished from the sight of the little party on the ship.

It was so overladen that is was impossible to use the oars and with its occupants it soon drifted off into the night. Not a word has been learned of the fate of this boat.

Today, though the Hestia's upper works can still be seen above the water, she is pounding so badly it is certain she will be a total loss. The men saved are so exhausted that a list of passengers and crew has not yet been obtained.

The six men rescued are now on Grand Manat island, New Brunswick. They say the Hestia encountered a sixty-mile gale in the shoal waters off Seal cove, and that the boat was helpless in the grasp of the storm.

Increased by Survivors.

The St. John tug, Lord Kitchener, is today steaming about the bay of Fundy, searching for traces of the Hestia's crew. The survivors of the wreck state that Captain Newman's boat had twenty-seven persons aboard when last seen from the wrecked vessel and that then it was heading for Gannet Rock.

The second boat launched, which capsized alongside the Hestia, soon righted herself, and with one man aboard was seen drifting before the gale toward open sea.

There is believed to be little chance that either this boat, or that containing the captain and his twenty-six men survived the terrific seas. As the wind blew the little craft off shore, all hope of the safety of the castaways has practically been given up. No bodies have been recovered.

JOHN WEAVER KILLS FATHER

Says He Acted in Self-Defense When Attacked.

Bloomfield, Ind., Oct. 28.—Samuel Weaver, a wealthy farmer near Marco is dead from the effects of a blow given by his son John. The latter says that while he and his father were at work the father became angry with the span of mules and began beating them. The son interfered, whereupon the father struck at him with a piece of pump pipe. Snatching the weapon out of his father's hands, the son gave him a terrific blow on the back of the head, crushing the skull. Young Weaver is grief-stricken over his rash act, and threatens to take his own life.

YOUNG FARMER KILLS HIMSELF

Wife Finds His Body Hanging in the Barn.

London, O., Oct. 28.—Her attention drawn to a milk bucket which her husband had left standing at the barn door this morning, Mrs. Joshua Hinton, going to investigate, found him suspended by a rope from a rafter in the haymow. The body was still warm.

The suicide, a well-to-do young farmer of thirty, who lives near Summerford, has been suffering from mental trouble.

The egg market paying 28 cents. wk R. T. Lewis & Co.

Grecian Food For Dreamers.

Hasheesh, the strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece), in the district about Tripolitza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds. The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees reckless and results in a wreck of their mental and physical constitution.—Montreal Standard.

Immune From Arrest.

In Washington, in the capital of the nation, there reside 209 men who, with their households, have absolute immunity from the laws of the land, even though they commit crimes of the first degree. They may shoot down the man who injures them; they may, if they see fit, paint the equestrian statue of General Phil Sheridan a vivid pea green, yet the hands of Uncle Sam must be kept from their shoulders, and woe unto the unterrified policeman or other servant of the law who undertakes to bring them to justice once they have declared their official connections. These men who are so clothed in immunity are the members of the diplomatic corps, and their shield is international law. It is provided in the laws of nations that they must answer before the tribunals of their own countries for the offenses they commit here in Washington, but that they shall not be tried by any court of the United States.—Washington Star.

A Realistic Actor.

Malcolm was three years old. He stood stock still in the middle of the floor, one arm extended horizontally. His mother, looking up from her sewing, saw the door open.

"Shut the door, Malcolm, please," she said.

No response. She repeated her request. Still no response.

"Malcolm," she said more sternly, "I asked you to shut the door."

Still Malcolm stood in the middle of the floor with his arm outstretched and did not move.

"Malcolm," said his mother, "if you don't shut the door at once I shall have to punish you."

Malcolm burst into tears and flung himself on his mother's knees. "Muvver," he cried, "I was bein' a wooden sign, an' wooden signs can't shut doors?"—Woman's Home Companion.

Memory Studies.

A small boy went into a South Boston drug store, wrinkled his face, rubbed his head and rubbed his left foot up and down his right leg in an effort to remember something that had escaped him.

"Say," he began, "will you tell me the name of the place where we Americans have so many soldiers?"

"Fort Sheridan?"

"Oh, no. It's farther away than that."

"The Philippines?"

"That ain't just it, but it's somewhere around there."

"Perhaps you mean Manila?"

"Manila! That's right! I knew I would get it after awhile. I want a bottle of manila extract for flavorin'. They're goin' to have ice cream."—Boston Record.

Old Time Temperance.

The first temperance society is said to have been founded by Margrave Frederick V. in 1600, and it is instructive to learn that the noble members of that society were bound by a pledge good for two years not to drink more than seven bumpers of wine with any meal nor more than fourteen bumpers a day. They were, however, permitted to quench any surplus of thirst with beer and to drink one glass of whisky on the side. By this ideal of abstention may be gauged the ordinary drinking habits of our forefathers in the good old times when knighthood was in flower.—Morris Hillquit in Socialism.

His Walking Papers.

"My sister 'll be down in a minute," said little Clarence, who was entertaining the young man in the parlor. "I heard her tellin' maw a little while ago that she was goin' to give you your written permission to perambulate tonight. What do you reckon she meant by that?"

"I think I know, Clarence," said the young man, reaching for his hat. "You may tell her, if you please, that I have decided not to wait for it."—Exchange.

Barring It Out.

Irate Parent — So you think my daughter loves you, sir, and you wish to marry her? Young Lover—That's what I called to see you about. And if you don't mind I thought I'd just ask first if there is any insanity in your family. Irate Parent—No, sir, and there's not going to be any.—London Express.

Parliamentary Procedure.

"How about my letter of proposal?" demanded the young congressman.

"It has been advanced to a second reading," answered the haughty Washington belle.—Kansas City Journal.

To draw a caricature of our contemporaries is not difficult. It requires only a small portion of talent and a great want of courtesy.—Disraeli

MRS. VAN DEMAN TAKES A FLIGHT

Wife of Captain Ralph Van Deman Is Passenger

ON THE AEROPLANE OF WILBUR WRIGHT

Flight Is Arranged with the Utmost Secrecy.

Early This Morning, Before Half of Washington Is Awake, Captain Van Deman and Wife Go to College Park and the Latter Takes First Trip of Woman in America. Peace Keeping Idea.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Wilbur Wright, who refused the appeals of kings and dukes, diplomats and even the daughter of a former president, today, for the first time in this country, took a woman up with him for a brief sky trip. Mrs. Ralph Van Deman, wife of a captain in the United States army, was the one honored. After four thrilling minutes, Mrs. Van Deman, smiling and happy, jumped out of the passenger seat to the ground and said: "Oh, dear me, it was simply grand!"

The flight had been arranged for with all the secrecy of which Wilbur Wright is the possessor. Mrs. Van Deman and her husband went out to College park, Maryland, before the capital was fairly awake. It was evident that she was excited over something, and Wright and his officer pupils appeared unusually gay. No one who wasn't in the secret, however, suspected what was to happen until a minute or two before the aeroplane went up.

Mrs. Van Deman, her husband, and the officers, loafed about the shed and starting derrick, and the newspaper men, who had seen her often at Fort Meyer and College park, were entirely off their guard. The propellors were whirling their old song, the weight was up on the derrick and Wright was playing with the spark.

In the Machine.

When the newspaper men looked again, Mrs. Van Deman, her long gray cloak tucked close around her, her black hat set jauntily on her head, was sitting in the passenger seat. In another second Wright and Lieutenant Lahm had taken a piece of twine and tied it about the bottom of her cloak, holding tightly the black skirt beneath.

In a moment Wright had taken his seat, released the clutch and started the biplane down the rail. It went only a few feet beyond the end of the track and refused to rise, but a second start proved successful.

The machine made two circles of the field at a height of about sixty feet.

Wright made a graceful landing and just as gracefully kept the newspaper men from besieging his passenger.

"I want to thank you, Mr. Wright," said her husband, "now it will be possible for me to keep peace in our home."

"Don't mention it, captain," replied the aviator with a grin.

Why Birds Sing.

"Now I know why the birds sing. I know of no sensation to compare with it."

This was Mrs. Van Deman's comment on her flight.

"Weren't you afraid to let your wife make the flight?" Captain Van Deman was asked.

"Why should I be afraid?" he replied. "I don't think there is any more danger in taking an aeroplane ride than in motoring or horseback riding, and my wife does both of those things."

"Afraid? Of course, I was not," said Mrs. Van Deman. "I did not think of being afraid. It was too delicious. I do not even know how long I was up, except the time was too short."

Captain and Mrs. Van Deman have lived in Washington since 1905, when he was assigned to the army war college. His wife was Miss Rice, of California.

[Captain and Mrs. Van Deman are quite well known in Marion, where the captain has a number of relatives and a host of warm friends. Mrs. Van Deman is equally popular here.—Tel. Ed. Star.]

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Egg—Extras 28; prime firsts 26½; firsts 24½.

Butter—Creamery extras 30½; firsts 28; dairy extras 28½; firsts 26½.

Cheese—Twins 14½@16; daisies 16@14; young Americas 16@14.

Live poultry—Turkeys 14½; fowls 10½@11½; spring chickens 11½@12; ducks 11½@12½, geese 9@11.

THE POLICIES OF THE DEAD PRINCE

Are To Be Followed by Japanese Government.

PACIFIC MOTIVES OF FORMER PREMIER

Will Be Maintained in Foreign Relations.

Traditions Left by Him Will Be Followed and Honored by the Japanese People—No Chance for the Radical Element To Secure Control—Son Says Ito Was the Best Friend Korea Had.

Tokyo, Oct. 27.—"The death of Prince Ito will not change the policies of Japan. The pacific motives of the prince will ever be maintained in the country's foreign relations, and the traditions which he leaves us will be followed and honored."

With these words, Marquis Katsura, premier, and minister of finance of Japan, today set at rest the widespread feeling that the death of the "Bismarck of Japan," shot down by a Korean assassin at Harbin yesterday, will result in a total change of Japan's foreign policy, and would allow the radical element in the Japanese government to follow out many wild schemes for the expansion of Japanese control.

The conservative influence of the dead statesman was one of the main powers that held down the strong radical adherents in Tokyo, and it was feared his death would result in a complete change of the nation's foreign policy.

Plot an Old One.

Detailed messages from Harbin today indicate that the plot against the life of Prince Ito had existed since 1907. At that time Ito, as resident general of Korea, following the refusal of The Hague tribunal to heed Korea's plea for assistance, forced the Korean emperor to abdicate and succeeded in compelling the signing of the treaty giving Japan suzerainty over the peninsula. Prince Ito, to the Koreans, was the personification of the Japanese influence which had wrested their independence from them and immediately after the abdication of the emperor, the plot was formed which ended at Harbin yesterday.

The Russian police are still holding the assassin of Prince Ito at Harbin, with several other Koreans who were arrested immediately after the tragedy and who are suspected of complicity.

Supposed Companions.

Two of these are thought to have accompanied the Korean who did the shooting. It is probable that the suspects will be turned over to the Japanese authorities.

The special train bearing the body of Prince Ito will be met at Darien by a warship which will be ordered from the naval station at Yokohama. The emperor has detailed an imperial court chamberlain to go to Darien and accompany the body on the warship from there to Tokyo, where it is expected to arrive in about a week.

The whole nation is mourning for the dead statesman and notes of regret have been received from practically every foreign nation.

The Chinese authorities beside sending messages of condolence are taking great pains to show that they were not responsible for the death of Prince Ito as they are not allowed to exercise any police power in the railway zone in Manchuria.

Posthumous Honors.

An imperial decree issued today confers on the dead statesman posthumous honors, advancing him from the second to the first grade in the court rank. The decree also arranges for an imperial funeral such as has never been accorded anybody not of royal blood. The funeral will be held on November 4. The foreign office made official announcement today that no repressive measures in Korea will result from the killing of Prince Ito by a native Korean. Several Japanese papers have demanded that Korea be immediately annexed to Japan, and that Korea, as a whole, be made to suffer for the death of Ito. This called forth the statement from the foreign office.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE WEDDED AT LARUE

Miss Edith Borden and Mr. G. W. Crowley.

La Rue, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—Wednesday evening, October 6, Rev. J. A. Sutton, at his home, united in marriage Miss Edith Borden, an elocutionist of Mt. Victory and Mr. George W. Crowley, a liveryman, of Ridgeway. The marriage was kept a secret until Tuesday. They will reside at Ridgeway.

CONFESSES TO TRIPLE CRIME

James McMahon Admits His Guilt to Sheriff.

KILLS SISTERS AND HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW

Plans the Murder for Almost Two Months.

Waits Till He Finds His Brother-in-Law Out in the Woods—Shoots Six Bullets into Him—Then Goes to the House and Kills His Two Sisters—Two Other Arrests Are Made in Case Despite Confession.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 27.—Following the confession of James McMahon that he killed his two sisters and his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Van Royen and Rose McMahon, Sheriff Becker, of Wyandotte county, Kansas, today is going over, bit by bit, the evidence collected since the triple tragedy was discovered a week ago. For seven days McMahon managed to hide his part in the crime, then his inability to keep his own secret caused his arrest and the confession which the sheriff declares he made.

McMahon is said to have told where he hid the revolver with which he is alleged to have killed his sisters and his brother-in-law. Sheriff Becker was informed, searched for and found the revolver, and with this evidence arrested McMahon. After two hours of questioning, McMahon made a verbal statement declaring that he, according to those who heard him, was responsible for the murder, and that no one else was responsible.

Two Others Arrested.

Despite this statement his brother, Patric McMahon, and Patrick Lamb, a farmhand, were arrested.

When the story of the confession became known, a crowd surrounded the jail, and the prisoners were hustled off to the state prison at Lansing for safekeeping.

The officers today will try to substantiate the motive for the crime as told by McMahon. He said that he had quarreled with his sisters and his brother-in-law and that the quarrel was of years' standing.

For two months, he declared he had planned the murder, and it had been his one thought. He said he purchased a revolver in Kansas City, and took it to his home. Then, after thinking and thinking about the murder, the whole thing became clear to him, and he seemed to see the bodies as they lay dead. One morning he found that his brother-in-law, Van Royen, had gone to the woods and that his sister, Rose, had gone to the Van Royen home.

The Time Sought.

This was the time, he is alleged to have said, he was waiting for. Then, according to his confession, as the sheriff repeats it, he went to the Van Royen home.

McMahon first saw that his sisters were in the house, and then went to the woods and shot Van Royen in the head, killing him. He fired six times at the body, then went to the house.

Mrs. Van Royen was sitting in a chair. He shot her, the first bullet probably killing her. Then, as his sister, Rose, started towards him, horror-stricken, he shot her. Then he fired several bullets into the bodies.

Afterward McMahon is reported to have said that he took some things he wanted and left. He is said to have told where these things were left, and today the officers are looking for them to verify his story. He declared his brother had nothing to do with the shooting.

TOWN OF SANTA ROSA SUBMERGED

Cloudburst Follows Twenty Days of Incessant Rain.

Mexico City, Oct. 27.—An appeal for aid in the flood-stricken districts of Tabasco was received from the governor by federal authorities today. The cloudburst that broke over the state followed twenty hours of incessant rain all over the region.

The property loss is estimated at $5,000,000, including thousands of acres of corn, beans and other crops, fruit and fine hardwoods, thousands of horses and cattle drowned, and houses in country and town washed away bodily. Only two deaths have been reported.

Five hundred families are homeless in the city of Atasta alone. All the towns along the Mescalapa river have been inundated by its overflow.

The town of Santa Rosa is submerged to a depth of four feet. Most of the people are living on the roofs of their houses. The government of Tabasco has undertaken relief work and reports of rescuing despicl scenes of suffering.

WATCH BUILDING OF GOOD ROADS

National Congress Devotes Day to Practical Work.

Columbus, O., Oct. 28.—The number of delegates in attendance at the session of the National Good Roads congress is 1,500. The time was largely devoted to inspecting exhibits and watching the construction of demonstration roads. The question box will be a feature of the session today.

The Ohio Good Roads Federation adopted the report of the resolutions committee, indorsing the Alsdorf aid bill, with the new provision for perpetual maintenance, and urging appointment by the governor of a disinterested commission of three, without pay, to determine the order of highway improvement in each county, or information furnished by county commissioners and township trustees.

The following officers were elected by the Ohio Good Roads Federation: President, A. H. Huston of Columbus; vice presidents, Jesse Taylor of Jamestown, C. S. Ashbrook of Mansfield, Dr. A. F. Boak of Cleveland, F. J. Fry of Tiffin; secretary, M. M. Maxwell of Cleveland; treasurer, Julius F. Stone of Columbus.

BURIED IN THE FAMILY PLOT

Is All That Is Mortal of the Late Justice Peckham.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 27.—With simple services, consistent with the dignity of his position, the funeral of Rufus W. Peckham, associate justice of the United States supreme court, took place this afternoon from St. Peter's Episcopal church. The members of the court, with the exception of Justice Moody, who is ill; Governor Hughes, the supreme court justices of the Third judicial district, the bar of the state and men prominent in public life, together with Justice Peckham's friends and neighbors in Albany, made up the funeral party.

The casket was covered with a solid blanket of roses, while handsome floral tributes were grouped nearby.

The Episcopal burial service was followed, being read by the rector, Rev. W. W. Battershall.

The justices of the United States supreme court and former judicial associates of Judge Peckham acted as honorary pallbearers.

The burial took place in the family plot in the rural cemetery.

GOVERNOR CURRY QUITS HIS JOB

Says Governorship Interferes with Private Business.

Albuquerque, N. M., Oct. 28.—Governor George C. Curry announced that he has forwarded his resignation to Washington, and that it probably will take effect next March. He gives as his reason for resigning that he wants to attend to private business. He positively denies the many recent rumors of lack of harmony with the Washington officials.

"My relations with the officials at Washington have been entirely harmonious," said the governor, "and private interests alone have influenced my action."

Resignation Not Requested.

Washington, Oct. 28. — Secretary Ballinger said that Governor Curry of New Mexico had not resigned and had not been asked to resign. Apparently the charges which have been placed before the department of the interior are not considered serious enough to justify the department in calling for Governor Curry's resignation.

FIVE YOUTHS ARE GIVEN SENTENCES

Lads Break into Conklin Store at Edison.

The five boys arrested on a charge of breaking into the general store of B. F. Conklin, at Edison, about a month ago, all entered pleas of guilty, Tuesday.

Judge Dever, of Morrow county, sentenced Walter Blitz, Ernest Smith and Oscar Ritter, three fifteen-year-old lads, to the Industrial school, at Lancaster. Charles Miller, aged twenty-two, and Harry Smith, aged twenty-five, were sentenced to the reformatory at Mansfield. Harry Smith is believed to be Charles McClain, of this city, who was out of the reformatory on parole. He admitted having been a prisoner there and gave his home as Marion when arrested.

THEIR HAPPY SECRET LEARNED BY FRIENDS

Miss Maude Young and Mr. LeRoy Turner Married.

La Rue, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—The marriage of Miss Maude Young, of Ada, and Mr. LeRoy Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner, of one mile east of here, which took place Wednesday evening, September 29, has become known to their friends.

The marriage was solemnized at the home of the groom's parents by Rev. J. A. Sutton, and only the immediate relatives of the young people were aware of its occurrence.

The young people had no reason, other than to surprise their friends, in keeping the nuptials a secret.

Mr. Turner is a contractor and has been employed at Ada for some time past.

VOTE $9,000 TO MISSION WORK

The Christian Church Will Go to Japan.

MAN MURDERED IN SALOON SCRAP

Farmer Living Near Canal Dover Hangs Himself.

Wooster Man Shoots and Mortally Wounds His Brother While Shooting at a Target—Ex-County Treasurer Harry C. Knobloch Denies Embezzlement Charge. Takes Stand in His Own Defense.

Dayton, O., Oct. 28.—The mission board of the Christian church held its final meeting. Work in the Barbadoes was taken up, as well as in British Guiana. Nine thousand dollars was voted for mission work in Japan, and a gift of $2,500 for a new church at Sendai, Japan, was acknowledged, the donor being unknown.

Murdered In Saloon Scrap.

Athens, O., Oct. 28.—Because he refused to sell him a drink of whisky, James Drane attacked David Jenkins of Kimberly, and was instantly killed by a pistol shot from Jenkins' revolver. Jenkins was arrested and brought to the county jail here. He claims he fired the shot in self-defense.

Farmer Hangs Himself.

Canal Dover, O., Oct. 28.—Fearing he was losing his mind, Frank Allison, 52, a farmer, committed suicide by hanging. Sending John Palmer, a hand, to drive some cattle out of the cornfield, Allison hanged himself to a log extending from the haymow.

Militiaman Shoots Brother.

Wooster, O., Oct. 28.—William Rope, 25, married, was mortally wounded by his brother while the two were engaged in target practice at the armory. The ball entered Rope's neck, severing an artery.

Knobloch Denies Embezzlement.

Canton, O., Oct. 28.—An absolute denial of unlawful acts was made by ex-County Treasurer Harry C. Knobloch, who took the stand in his own defense in his trial for embezzlement of county funds.

Weds His Stepsister.

Defiance, O., Oct. 28.—The Rev. Father Gloden of St. John's Catholic church solemnized the marriage of Otto Imhoff and Miss Stella Backus. The young people are stepbrother and stepsister.

FARM IMPLEMENT MANUFACTURING

May Be Undertaken in Prison by the State of Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 28.—The state of Indiana is considering the possibilities of engaging in the farm implement manufacturing business. James A. Reid, warden of the Michigan City prison, under the direction of Governor Marshall, today began an investigation to determine what agricultural implements can be made without patent infringement with a view of employing prison labor upon their manufacture. Both the governor and the warden believe two things will be accomplished by the work; first, it will embarrass the so-called harvester trust, and second, it will provide labor for the prisoners.

The state prison is already causing some embarrassment to the harvester people because of the manufacture of binder twine at the state institution. Because of the price of the twine made by the state, the trust has been forced to name reasonable prices in Indiana.

You won't take cold when you take off your felts for Sunday, if you put on a pair of Beatty & Long's light weight shoes made with thick, warm plush lining.

THE OHIO GOOD ROADS FEDERATION

Elects Officers in Executive Session Wednesday Morning.

Columbus, O., Oct. 27.—The Ohio Good Roads federation, in executive session at Memorial hall, elected the following officers this morning: President, Archie H. Huston, of Columbus; vice presidents, Jesse Taylor, of Jamestown; C. S. Ashbrook, of Mansfield; Dr. A. F. Boak, of Cleveland; F. J. Fry, of Tiffin; secretary, M. M. Maxwell, of Cleveland; treasurer, Julius F. Stone, of Columbus.

The session indorsed the state and county road aid bills, that have been prepared.

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OF HIGH INTEREST TO STAR READERS

In this issue the Star offers the first of a series of six copyrighted articles on Halley's comet by Frederick Campbell, president of the department of astronomy of the Brooklyn institute. Halley's comet having been viewed September 11 and there being no longer a question of its return on time, the articles of Professor Campbell should prove of high interest to readers. All this winter the celestial visitor will come nearer and nearer to us, and soon it will be visible to the naked eye. Through the winter, spring and summer it will remain with us and then once more rush off into space not to be again seen for three-quarters of a century.

Under these circumstances we should realize that we are particularly fortunate in getting a sight of this wanderer, whose comings and goings have been recorded for the last 2,000 years, and we can not learn too much regarding the guest of our planetary system.

Dr. Campbell's articles are scientific, yet they are understandable to the lay mind and for that reason of especial worth in newspaper columns. While the first article is introductory in its nature, it will be found interesting and interest will increase from week to week as the six are run.

The series which the Star has secured is said to be the finest and most comprehensive ever written on the subject. The Star will publish them concurrently with the leading papers of the great cities of the land.

Now we are expected to be surprised over the statement that there are 40,000 Indians more in the country than there were ten years ago, but we utterly refuse to be. As a matter of fact, we are of the opinion that there were thousands of Indians more ten years ago than there were ten years previous to that time. In fact, it would not surprise us in the least should somebody bob up with the claim that there are more people of Indian blood in the United States today than there were when Columbus discovered America. We rather lean to that belief.

Of course, we can't state that Chemist Schuch, of Denver, has a sure cure for cancer, but it looks reasonable that a cancer would do its best to vacate in favor of limburger cheese.

Dr. Cook's statement that he and his companions ate fourteen of their sixteen dogs on the route homeward may not convince the doubters, but it will probably save him from ever suffering the fate of that other hero, Mr. Hobson.

We have no sympathy whatever for those fellows who do not see any merit in the discovery of the pole. Had it not been for polar research we might have lived and died in ignorance of the fact that there ever were such people as I-took-a-shoo, Ah-weel-a and Knud Rasmussen.

Poisoned by Oysters.

Celina, O., Oct 25.—Charles Kloeb, aged fifty years, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, and a well-known politician of the state, died at his home in this city at 4 o'clock this morning, following an illness of a week's duration, having contracted poison from eating oysters.

It's a sad commentary on the ways of the world that the fellow who drew the prize for writing the best story on "The Model Wife," never had one.

Even those who do not admire him will have to admit that Bwana Tumbo is about the only man on earth who could go through the dark continent without for a moment being lost to the public eye.

No matter what may be said of Colonel Bryan, he is always a safe bet for "place" when he runs on a presidential ticket.

No matter which way the controversy between Peary and Cook is decided, Colonel Roosevelt will get a good deal of satisfaction out of the spelling of Eskimos.

"Can a young man who earns $11 a week afford to marry?" asks an exchange. Possibly. He might be able to do it if he could get a girl for a wife who is content to board.

What a jolly old world this would be were we able to utilize to some good purpose all the energy wasted in fault-finding.

It's rather unkind of President Taft to suggest that the time is ripe to do away with the pork barrel, considering how many gaps in the congressional fences it is made to fill.

Although they might put in the time electioneering on the streets, the majority of the candidates will probably follow the old practice of going to church Sunday.

Twenty-six inches of rain fell in one day, last week, in a district of Luzon. Talk about your Baptist picnic weather!

Reading between the line of some of Mrs. Pankhurst's utterances, one can't help feeling sorry for Mr. Pankhurst, if he survives.

If the coming of Halley's comet will cause us to forget the Cook-Peary dispute, the world-at-large should rise up and call it blessed.

To the non-nautical man it seems that there is merit in Sir Thomas Lipton's request for a change of the rules governing the race for the America's cup. The trophy should be contended for by real, practical boats and not by racing machines which have to be sent to the scrap heap after the race, being of no earthly use for any other purpose. This involves a tremendous waste of money and from the standpoint of seamanship proves nothing except as to who can design the fastest sailing freak. This also imposes an additional handicap upon the challenger as he has to venture his boat and crew in an unseaworthy craft clear across the Atlantic. Lipton has proved himself a generous competitor and a game sport. He should be met fairly as to terms.

The Houston Post is quoted as claiming that less than one per cent. of the convicts in the land are Democrats. We assume that the Post is righteously arguing for law enforcement in the South.

The New York Sun has discovered a citizen in the metropolis with the promising name of I. Settle. In these days of installments and extensive and extended credits, here's hoping that Mr. Settle's race may multiply and replenish the earth. The country needs more Settles with cash.

SUPERSTITIONS.

Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise.

It is a sign you are going to be rich if you tumble upstairs.

Sneeze twice when you first get up and you will hear of a death before the night.

In all lands ravens and crows have been considered birds of ill omen.

The natives of India believe that elephants have a religion and form of worship.

A great many country people believe that the screeching of an owl indicates impending calamity.

In Dalmatia it is an exceedingly auspicious omen for a cat to sneeze when a bride enters the house.

In almost every country the howling of a dog is regarded as a bad omen, generally predicting death to some person of the household.

In France it is believed that the settling of a white pigeon upon a chimney is a sign of speedy death for somebody in the house.

There is superstition among the negroes of the South that to meet a frog is a lucky incident indicating that the one thus favored is about to receive money from some unexpected quarter.

In former times a suspected person was flung into the river. If he floated, without any appearance of swimming, he was judged guilty; while if he sank he was acquitted.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. Eleanor Field Jay, widow of John Jay, American diplomat, died, in her ninety-first year, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Jay Schieffelin, in New York.

Dr. John A. Brashear, of Pittsburg, is probably the most famous maker of optical instruments, and the story of his life is more than interesting. He started life as a rolling-mill machinist.

Francis Lathrop, a noted mural artist, died of paralysis in the home of his cousin at Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey. Mr. Lathrop had been in ill health for two years, after a series of paralytic strokes.

William R. Stewart, president of the New York state board of charities, is still in ignorance of the identity of the mysterious multimillionaire who desires to give $1,000,000 to some charity officially recommended to him.

Lewis Thompson is dead at Islip, Long Island, in his one hundred and first year. He leaves a daughter, twelve grandchildren, two-score great-grandchildren. He was born at Bald Hill, Connecticut, March 12, 1809.

Miss Marie Sperber, secretary to M. Bleriot's representative in this country, has announced that she is going to make a trial trip in a duplicate of the famous Bleriot machine which was recently received at New York, thus capturing the honor of being the first woman aviator in this country.

The Wingate trophy has been given to the Public Schools' Athletic league, in New York City, by Rodman Wanamaker, to be a perpetual prize for the school attaining the best standing in athletics each year. It is named for General George W. Wingate, tthe founder of the league and well known for his sturdy citizenship.

INTERESTING BITS.

Ancient buildings or works can not be restored in Italy without the consent of the government.

Some motormen contend that they can make a shorter stop when traveling at a high rate of speed.

The New York aquarium during July had an average daily attendance of more than 17,000 persons.

The Interborough Railway company, of New York, will make use of steam turbines to utilize the exhaust from the reciprocating engines.

Since Manchuria was converted into a province its expenditure has increased rapidly Its balance sheet last year was six million taels on the wrong side

The submarine cables of the world cover a total of 278,208 miles, distributed among 20,553 cables Three fourths of this total mileage is owned by private companies.

Rio de Janeiro, with a population of 900,000, spent more money for public improvements last year than any city in the United States excepting New York.

Vast tracts of fertile lands in Turkey, capable of producing two crops a year, lie fallow, while the land under cultivation could be made to produce nearly twice as much under modern methods of agriculture.

Subway railroads are good investments in New York City. Profits have increased about seventeen per cent. in the last three months over the same period last year, the gross earnings being $3,321,500, an increase of $459,400

The Chilean minister of the navy has been authorized to advertise for bids for the construction of a dry dock at Talcahuano large enough to accomodate war vessels of from 18,000 to 20,000 tons. It is estimated it will cost about $2,800,000

There is a movement to hold an international agricultural exposition as a part of the centennial celebration in Chili beginning about September 1, 1910 It would be the first of the kind in Chili for thirty-five years. Much interest is being taken in the plan.

Frank Wootan, England's best jockey, who won sixty-six races in three months early this year on the English turf, is an Australian boy only fifteen years old. He won his first race when less than ten years old His income is now as much as a cabinet minister's

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Francis M Verdi, who is appearing in a minor role in Charles Frohman's presentation of "Israel," claims to be a direct descendant of Verdi, the famous composer, and is himself a musician of some ability



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THE JOHNSTON HOME SCENE OF GATHERING

Small Company of Young People Entertained.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY PLANNING FOR SOCIAL

Affair Will Be Held at the William Bain Residence—Agosta Friends at the Bedside of Mrs. Walter Patton, Who Is Ill in Marion—Some Agosta Pickings.

Agosta, Oct. 29.—[Special.]—Miss Pearl and Otis Johnston pleasantly entertained a small company of young people at their home, Wednesday evening. Dancing and cards were enjoyed and light refreshments were served.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a Halloween social at the William Bain home, Saturday evening. Supper will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnthouse spent the past week with Columbus and Pittsburg relatives.

John Carey, of Mt. Olive; D. H. Carey and Samuel Thomasson departed, Monday, for Wisconsin, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Frank Morris, of Green Camp, Mrs. Henry Summers and daughter, Helen, of North Baltimore, were guests of David Bilger and family, Wednesday.

Mrs. Amandah Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and children and Elmer Wilson were called to Marion, Wednesday, on account of the serious illness of Mrs Walter Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bricker and daughter Kathleen, of Green Camp, and Miss Lela Baker, of Mecker, were guests of Myron Rusler and family, Sunday

Mr and Mrs H. A. Whipps, of New Concord, are guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. James Redding.

Miss Edna Dutton was calling on Marion acquaintances, Saturday.

Mrs. William Clarke and daughter, Marjorie, of LaRue, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr and Mrs. Henry Tobias.

Miss Hazle Hosler was a Marion caller, Monday.

Roy Allen, of Toledo, was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. Joseph Fisher and Ray Dutton spent Sunday with David Clarke and family, near LaRue.

Mrs William Dutton returned home, Sunday, from a visit with David Scissels and family, at Galion.

Mrs. James Williams was the guest of William Kraner and family near LaRue, Sunday.

Mrs A Burns, of Kenton, was the guest of Mr and Mrs. Arthur Tonguet, Sunday

Mrs. Eliza Sifritt, of Raymond, was the guest of her brother, A. C. Johnston, and family, from Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deal, of near DeCliff, were called to Lorain, Monday, by the serious illness of Fred Clements, who was dangerously injured in a railroad wreck, Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Berger, of Marion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burley, Friday.

Mrs. Hannah Foit returned to her home at Bankirk, Friday, after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Grimm and daughter, Nina, of Bellefontaine, were guests of Frank Grimm and family, from Thursday until Saturday.

E. A. Seffner, of Marion, made a business visit to this place, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carey, of near DeCliff, and Miss Edith Carey, of near Richwood, were entertained at the Rusler home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams attended the funeral services of Mrs. E. E. Mason, at Meeker, Wednesday afternoon.

Visiting With Johnny.

"I think the mother of a six-year-old boy should have a pension to make up to her for the mental agony she suffers," said just such a mother. "I took Johnny to his paternal grandfather's last week and believe he has cut us out of grandfather's will. Of course we send him to Sunday school, and we both attend church, but we do not ask a blessing at the table, nor do we have family prayers. Grandfather does, and it happened that the morning after we arrived Johnny was excused from the table and went out in the yard to play. Grandfather led the way into the sitting room, and we all knelt down in prayer. Imagine my horror to see Johnny's little face peering curiously through the blinds and hear him sing out: 'Hey, in there! What kind of a game is that you're playing? Ain't you the rotten bunch not to let me in on it?' I arose and softly whispered to him to run on and play, and he sang out: 'You're it, mamma, you're it! Make a home run.' Now, what can you do with a small boy, anyway? I can never explain matters to his grandfather."—New York Times.

The Physician.

Dr. Cathelin of Paris declares that no person who does not possess certain "six moral senses" should attempt to enter the medical profession—viz. the sense of duty, the sense of responsibility, the sense of kindness, the sense of manual skill (which he subdivides into the sense of boldness and the sense of prudence), the sense of beauty and the social role. "The sense of duty toward the patient," so he is quoted by the Boston Globe, "is the very first requisite in a physician. It can only arise from a positive and innate altruism or love of one's fellow creatures—a quality similar to that which moves the hospital nurse to the care of the stricken. There can be no personal sensitiveness nor lack of interest in details, as against an absorbing curiosity that complicated cases arouse, and yet, with all this sense of duty, which calls for extreme goodness and sensitiveness of heart, he must not show a trace of emotion when his duty calls him to operate on a McKinley, a Carnot or a Frederick II."

A Truthful Description.

In an illustrated description of the game of tennis Simplicissimus says: "Like all good things, lawn tennis is of English origin. Marie Stuart while a prisoner was compelled to beat carpets which were hung over a rail. Not contented with this humiliation, her sister, Queen Elizabeth, once threw a dead mouse at the unfortunate Marie while the latter was beating carpets. The little defunct rodent was caught on Marie's tail and sent back over the rail and was returned to her by means of a ball in the hands of Elizabeth, and thus the game of tennis originated." Further on in the same description it is said, "Two sets are formed, and while these dirt at the edge of the court others stand near the net and make efforts to speak English."

New silver coinage, bearing the map of Australia on one side and the king's head on the other, is now being prepared for the Australian commonwealth at the imperial mint

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In a woman's weakness lies her strength.

THE MISSES RICE ARE HOSTESSES TO COMPANY

Young People Are Very Pleasantly Entertained.

MISS WAVE BAKER DANGEROUSLY ILL

Frank Foos Plans To Move from Farm to Caledonia, Where He Will Enter Business—Melvin Pommert Entertains the Members of Sunday-School Class—Caledonia Notes.

Caledonia, Oct. 29.—[Special.]—The Misses Anna Marie and Inez Rice entertained a small party of girl friends at a slumber party at their pleasant country home, north of town, Tuesday night. The evening was spent with games and other amusements.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Pommert were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mahley in Mansfield several days last week.

Chalmer Kelly, of Toesin, Indiana, is the guest of his father C. E. Kelly, this week.

Miss Wave Baker, who went to New Lebanon, Pennsylvania, last week to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Campbell, is seriously ill of appendicitis. Miss Baker became sick immediately after her arrival there. Her father, Dr. J. E. Baker, was summoned to her bedside, Saturday. She is slightly improved, but not yet out of danger.

Miss Laura Pace is seriously ill of spinal meningitis at her home on South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Geyer moved to Marion, Wednesday, where Mr. Geyer is employed on the new government building.

Mrs. C. A. Highly and children, Goldeth and Herbert, were the guests of relatives east of Mt. Gilead from Friday until Sunday.

Maris Hart spent the first of the week in Newark, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Vogelmeier.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Albright and Mrs Clara Clutter and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday with relatives near Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Robert Burt, of Cleveland, is the guest of her old friends at this place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Gorenflo spent Sunday with the latter's brother near Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Doyle and sons, Raymond and Lowell, spent the latter part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Slagle in Morrow county.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Mattox moved their household effects from Springfield to the A. L. Frederick property on north Water street, Wednesday. They were accompanied here by Frank Kerr.

Melvin Pommert entertained the members of his Sunday-school class, Tuesday evening. The boys of the class have organized a club, which will be entertained at regular intervals by the different members. A series of games and music was followed by a lunch. Fourteen of the scholars and Miss Gertrude Gray, the teacher, were present.

Mrs Ella Simmons, of Tower Hill, Illinois, was entertained by Mr. and Mrs James Morton last week.

Mrs. L. S Irey and sons, Curtis and Robert, returned Monday, from Pavonia, where they had been the guests of Rev J B Jones and family.

Miss Helen Stone went to Cleveland, Monday, where she will visit her sister, Miss Imogene.

Frank Foos, who resides two miles northwest of here, held a public sale, today, and will move to this place next week. Mr. Foos has purchased the John Hanley grocery stock and will take possession the first of the month.

Mrs J. E. Baker left for New Lebanon, Pennsylvania, today, on account of the illness of her daughter, Wave.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Sterritt, of Marengo, visited friends here, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Rachel Ludwig, of Fremont, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller, north of town Mrs Ludwig passed her ninety-fifth birthday anniversary, Wednesday. A dinner was served at the Miller home to a number of relatives in honor of the occasion.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Women who tell everything they hear manage to hear a lot.

When a man insists that he knows what he is talking about, make him prove it.

The man who can tell you just how a thing ought to be done is seldom busy.

It's a wise bird that can flit through a lawyer's office without losing a few feathers.

Just because a girl doesn't love a man it is no sign she doesn't want him to make love to her.

Some writer has said that as a rule preachers are not witty. Perhaps this may be due to the fact that brevity is the soul of wit.—Chicago News.

Travel In 1760.

In these days of rapid transit a paragraph from a Yorkshire paper of 1760 is interesting. It is an account of a London merchant's journey from London to Dublin and back. Leaving London on Monday evening, the traveler reached Liverpool on Wednesday morning, in time to catch the packet for Dublin, which city he reached on Thursday. During that day he transacted his business in the capital, and next morning sailed for Liverpool, arriving there on Saturday. Monday saw him back in London, and his journey was complete, having taken only eight days! "And," concludes the writer, "there is every reason to believe that it will be possible to beat even this performance in the near future."—London Family Journal.

A Kitchen Martyr.

Even the kitchen can boast its martyrs. Chief among these was Vatel, the chief cook of Conde, who ran himself through the heart with a sword because the fish had not arrived in time for a banquet which his master was giving Louis XIV. Vatel's panegyric is to be found in the concluding volume of the "Almanach des Gourmands:" "So noble a death insures you, venerable shade, the most glorious immortality! You have proved that the fanaticism of honor can exist in the kitchen as well as in the camp, and that the spit and the saucepan have also their Catos and their Deciuses."

Safe.

"The worst thing that can be said about him is that he has no intimate friends."

"When a man has no intimate friends there is no one to say bad things about him."—Houston Post.

A non-washable veil may be freshened and put into shape by a slight dampening, after which it is stretched across a smooth surface, care being taken not to stretch any unnecessary points at the edge.

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YOUTH IS PLACED IN THE COUNTY BASTILE

Johnson Must Answer a Charge of Perjury.

CONFESSES HE LIES TO THE GRAND JURY

An Unusual Development in Fuller Johnson's Trial—The Rules for Government of Courts in the Tenth Judicial District Are Sent Out. Some Court Notes.

Perry Johnson was offered up as a sacrifice by the defense in the trial of Fuller Johnson, his father, Tuesday afternoon. The elder Johnson is charged by his fifteen-year-old daughter, Ruth, with a crime that means life imprisonment for him if convicted.

Immediately after leaving the witness chair, Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Johnson's son was arrested on a bench warrant and taken to jail by Sheriff John G. Stark on a charge of perjury.

Young Johnson swore that he had lied to the grand jury when he gave damaging evidence against his father. He was called as a witness for the defense, although he had been held in jail by Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice as a witness.

Asked why he had lied the boy said that Justice told him "it might save him a little trouble." He was compelled to admit that the prosecutor had told him to tell the truth and nothing but the truth to the grand jury.

"How does it come, then, if Mr. Justice told you to tell the truth you told a lie to the grand jury?" asked Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Fred E. Guthery.

"I was scared," replied the witness.

"Do you lie usually when you are scared?" asked the attorney.

Most generally," said Johnson, and many people smiled behind their hands.

The witness declared that he understood the nature of an oath and his arrest followed before he could leave the court-room.

In re-examining young Johnson, the attorneys for the defense were extremely severe with him. He was asked several times to tell the truth as to the parentage of his sister's child, but the boy emphatically denied that he had ever done his sister a wrong.

Attorney Mouser introduced a letter in evidence, and Judge Daniel Babst sustained the prosecutor's objection. Shortly before that Attorney Mouser and the court had a little tilt because the former had sustained the prosecution's objection to a question. The attorney said something about treating the court with courtesy, when Judge Babst quietly remarked: "Well, the court will see that you do treat him with courtesy."

Attorney Mouser said he had no intention to do otherwise. When the court again sustained the objection refusing to permit the letter in evidence, the attorney said he would like to argue the question of the letter's admissibility to the court and the jury was taken from the room.

Attorney W. P. Moloney read a part of the letter to the court. The letter is said to have been written by Perry Johnson to his sister, Ruth, after their father had been arrested for the crime. In this letter Perry asked his sister not "to blame it on to him, as he had sorrow enough of his own," or words to that effect. Mr. Moloney ably contended that the letter had a direct bearing on the case and ought to be admitted as evidence to establish the innocence of the defendant.

Attorney Guthery, for the state, argued that the letter could not be admitted as evidence under any rule of law. He intimated that it might have been written "as a put-up job."

Attorney Mouser also made a strong argument to have the letter admitted in evidence on the ground that to bar it from the jury would not be according the defendant a fair and impartial trial.

"This court is not infallible," said Judge Babst. "I might suggest to the learned counsel for the defense that neither are they infallible. This court is here to give this defendant a fair and impartial trial, but this court is not here to admit evidence that can not be admitted under any known rule of law. The objection is sustained. Bring in the jury."

The amended petition in the suit of L. H. Delauder against James Morgan and others was filed by Attorney H. Edmund Hill, Wednesday, in the common pleas court. He asks that he be given judgment for $73, with interest from September 10, 1906; that the property described in the petition be sold and his interests protected.

The new rules recently adopted by the judges of the Tenth judicial district at their Kenton meeting were sent out for approval by the various common pleas judges by Judge Daniel Babst, Tuesday.

Judge Babst supervised and wrote most of the rules, which will be observed by the courts throughout the district. Heretofore the courts have made their own rules for their respective counties.

The rules will not be posted until Judge Babst has received the copies of approval from the judges of the district.

Judge Daniel Baost has established a remarkable record since the beginning of the September term of court, which opened here, September 6. Civil and criminal cases already disposed of by him by trial, hearing, dismissal and leaving off the docket number fifty-one. In addition to this Judge Babst has heard thirty-four cases on motions, demurrers or otherwise. He is rapidly clearing the docket, which has been overcrowded for years.

Under the new rules adopted by the judges of the Tenth district the various courts will be more strict with the attorneys in the trial of their cases and no unnecessary delay will be tolerated.

BUCYRUS LIBRARY GETS THE ESTATE

Nellie Harris Leaves a Very Nice Fortune.

The entire estate of the late Nellie Harris, of Bucyrus, who died at Wapakoneta, Saturday, as the result of self-inflicted wounds, has been left by her to the Bucyrus public library. As far as known the will will not be contested.

The estate consists of a large farm situated near Leesville in Crawford county and some town property in Bucyrus with possibly other property not described. Its total value is estimated at between $35,000 and $40,000.

Such provision is made for the administration of the property that only the income will be available by the library. The fund will be known as the Stephen R. Harris memorial fund and the will directs that all real estate be sold and the proceeds invested in non-taxable securities, the income to be devoted to purchasing books, etc., for the library. Smith W. Bennett, of Columbus, is named as administrator and trustee of the fund.

It is probable that an income of between $1,200 and $1,500 annually will come to the library through this fund.

VINCENT DECKER'S WIFE IS FAITHFUL

Refuses To Go to Home of Her Rich Uncle.

Rather than give up the hope of soon living with her convict husband again, the wife of Vincent Decker has refused to go to the home of her rich uncle, R. D. Coe, at Marion, where her two sisters are living as wards of her uncle.

Coe came to the penitentiary trying to ascertain the whereabouts of Decker's wife, but evidently she has burned all bridges behind her and rather than give up her husband will refuse his offer of a fine home.

Decker was released here October 2, after serving ten years for burglary and taken back to Pontiac, Illinois, to serve out a short term for breaking parole.

His wife met him at the gates the day Decker was removed and promised him to wait until he was released, if it took years. She is a young, girlish-looking woman and her uncle thinks she is hiding in Chicago or somewhere near the Pontiac reformatory.—Galion Daily Leader.

The city directory does not contain the name of P. D. Coe and none of the families by that name here know him.

THE STALLSMITH HOME SCENE OF A WEDDING

Miss Stallsmith and Mr. Lloyd Manley United.

LaRue, Oct. 27.—[Special.]—The Stallsmith home, near Essex, was the scene of a very pretty home wedding, Sunday evening, when Miss Emma the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stallsmith, became the wife of Mr. Lloyd Manley. Promptly at 7 o'clock the young couple took their places in the front parlor where, in the presence of twenty-five invited guests, Rev. Mr. Caulkin, of Essex, united their lives in the holy bonds of matrimony.

A season of congratulations then followed, the guests later repairing to the dining-room where a sumptuous dinner was spread.

The presents were many and beautiful.

Mrs. Manley is a pleasing young woman having many friends. Mr. Manley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Manley, of LaRue and is held in high regard in the vicinity in which he resides.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley will reside on a farm near Essex.

EDWARD RYNN IN A DYING CONDITION

May Not Live To Receive Release from Prison.

Edward Rynn, of this city, who was paroled from the Ohio state reformatory a few days ago, will probably not live to enjoy his freedom. He is now lying at the point of death at the institution, a victim of typhoid fever, and the reformatory physicians have little hope of his recovery.

Rynn was sent up from this city in 1905 for robbing a grocery store. An aunt, residing in this city, is now at his bedside

WILLIAM BARNHART FILES AN AFFIDAVIT

Charges Elmer Cornwell with Selling Whisky.

OFFICERS REFUSE TO ACCEPT BOND

Wilhelm and Bell Make the Arrest. Chief of Police Is Called and Stands Good for the Appearance of the Prisoner—J. B. Virden Causes Search of Roseman Place.

William Barnhart, residing in the country, filed an affidavit in the mayor's court Tuesday night, charging Elmer Cornwell with selling him whisky in violation of the Rose local-option law. In the affidavit Barnhart alleges that the sale was made to him by Cornwell, Tuesday evening.

After the filing of the affidavit a warrant was issued and served by Officers Wilhelm and Bell. They went to the home of Benjamin Mosier, where Cornwell has made his home for a number of years, and arousing the occupants of the house from their slumbers, took Cornwell to police headquarters. Mosier accompanied his ward to the station and protested against his being locked up, offering to furnish bond for Cornwell's appearance. The officers refused to accept Mosier's bond or to accept the word of Cornwell that he would appear before the mayor, stating they would have to confine the prisoner in a cell.

The chief of police was called from his home and ordered the officers to allow the prisoner his freedom and stated that he would stand for his appearance. The action of the arresting officers has caused considerable comment in-as-much as they refused to allow the prisoner to give bond when they have released others on their own recognizance to appear for charges of the same character.

Cornwell appeared before the mayor, Wednesday, and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge against him. His hearing was set for Saturday.

J. B. Virden filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Tuesday evening, for a warrant to search the place of Joseph Roseman, at No. 123 south Main street. The grounds for filing the affidavit were not known, but the warrant was served by Captain Bond and Officers Bell and Wilhelm. A thorough search of the Roseman place was made, but no intoxicants were found and there was not a sign that Roseman was violating the law

UNUSUAL SITUATION IN SCOTT TOWNSHIP

Only One Name Appears on Election Ballot.

The printers of the ballots to be used in the coming election have discovered an unusual situation in Scott township, one probably without a parallel in the political history of the state.

In the township which requires 270 ballots to supply the electors, so little interest has been manifested in the public places to be filled that but one name appears on the ballot, that of William Hill, who is a candidate for assessor of personal property, with no opposition.

Those desiring to fill the other positions will be obliged to write in the names of their candidates, a task requiring some time, considering the size of the ballot. Owing to this fact, voting in Scott township this fall will, without doubt, be slow.

PROBATE COURT.

The will of the late Andrew Dyer, of Pleasant township, has been admitted to probate. It is one of the shortest ever filed in the local probate court, containing considerable fewer than 100 words. His widow, Ella L. Dyer, is left all his property, both real and personal. Mrs. Dyer has been named executrix of the estate. She furnished $9,000 bond.

George E Waddell has been appointed executor of the estate of the late George Rupp He furnished $1,000 bond.

George W. Dutt has been appaointed guardian for Edward Dutt, a minor, and furnished $1,000 bond.

The last will and testament of Mary Zieg has been admitted to probate She leaves all her property to her sons and daughters John Reichardt has been appointed executor. He furnished $2,000 bond.

Margaret Eichorn has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Catherine Yeager under a bond of $2,100.

The hearing of the will of the late George S. Clark, of LaRue, has been continued until October 30

George S. McGuire has been appointed guardian of Goldie B Hensel and other minors. He furnished $3,600 bond.

The hearing on the petition to sell the real estate of Robert E. Benson, deceased, has been continued until further orders of the probate court.

A BUSINESS MEETING AND SOCIAL AFFAIR

Jr. O. U. A. M. Council Passes a Nice Evening.

NUMBER OF VISITORS ARE IN ATTENDANCE

Three Candidates Are Given Degree by the Red Men—Social Session and Smoker Follows the Work. The Maccabees Have Two Deaths in Order—Some Lodge Notes.

A class of candidates was initiated at a regular meeting of Lime City Council No. 206, Jr. O. U. A. M., Tuesday evening. Visitors were in attendance from Bucyrus, Galion, Nevada, Mansfield and Shelby and the attendance was unusually large. Aside from the initiation and social business, arrangements were made to go to Bucyrus next Monday evening, where the local degree team will initiate a class into the order at that place.

Following the business session, a lunch was served, after which a smoker was enjoyed.

Talks were made by a number of the local and visiting members.

At a meeting of the Maccabees, Tuesday evening, a short social session followed the regular business meeting and lunch was served. The attendance was large.

At the business session, two deaths in the order were reported, both having occurred during the week just past. This is the first time in the history of the local lodge that two deaths have occurred in one week. Stephen J. Wolford died at his home near Forest, and George A. McLeod died near Westerville. Both formerly resided here. E. B. Main represented the local order at both funerals.

The second degree was conferred on three candidates at the regular meeting of the Red Men, Tuesday evening The attendance was large and considerable business of importance was transacted.

A social session and smoker followed the meeting.

DR. A. A. WILLITS IS A GREAT LECTURER

Is Heard by Three Generations of Lyceum Audiences.

In regard to Dr. A. A. Willits, who will lecture at Epworth M. E. church next Monday evening, Edward Amherst Ott says:

Dr. A. A. Willits, has been heard by three generations of lyceum audiences. The Lyceum of itself is a young institution and, yet it would be difficult to estimate the effect that it has had upon the public thought of the nation in the last half century. The Lyceum is the one great free platform of America, and to it many men who could not be controlled mentally either by party or creed, came to teach the wider lessons of love and life. It is not our purpose here to speak words of love and eulogy The kindly thought,



DR. A. A. WILLITS.

the tender heart, the gracious deeds of this good man, have inspired thousands to better efforts and better lives. We speak of him here because of his influence on the Lyceum as an institution He has inspired a group of men who are today the advocates of a philosophy of optimism. In all his work, no matter what the subject of his lecture, the spirit of sunshine prevails, and that the public may have the largest opportunity to share in a personal way, in his triumphal tour, we are asking Dr. Willits to give in each instance his great first, lecture, "Sunshine."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A marriage license has been issued to Miss Ethel May Nelson, of Grand Prairie township, and Charles N. Hite, of Morral

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Edna T Almendinger and Christian Wassenbeck; Miss Rosalia L. Kehrweeker and Walter Krause.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Grace H. Denman and Harvey S. Martin and Miss Nellie May Beers and William Arthur Ludwig, both of Scott township.

LAW ENFORCEMENT THEME OF SPEAKER

Ex-Mayor White Talks to a Large Audience.

MATTER OF ELECTING THE PROPER OFFICERS

It Is Necessary To Select Men Who Will Have Respect for Their Oaths and Will Enforce the Laws—The Sentiment of Sixty-Two Counties in Ohio—Speaker Applauded.

"The immoral, law-defying man does not help manage the government, the government must manage him, or government is a failure," declared James White, of Columbus, formerly mayor of Barnesville, Tuesday night, to an audience that filled the court-room. He spoke under the auspices of the Marion County Law and Order league

Continuing the speaker said:

"The question that is being discussed in most municipalities in Ohio at the present time is, 'Shall the law upon our statute books be enforced or nullified?'

"Shall we elect officers who will enforce the law or those who will utterly disregard their oaths. The question, as the Marion Star put it several weeks ago, is, 'Law enforcement against anarchy.' That this question should be discussed as though there were two sides to it is passing strange. It might be proper to discuss it to the unfortunates in our workhouses and penitentiaries in order to help them better observe the law when given an opportunity. There is but one side to this question and that is on the side of law observance and law enforcement.

"However, this question is being discussed as though when a man takes office he could disregard that oath and enforce or not enforce the law. He has no choice in the matter and that officer who disregards his oath is reenacting the part of Judas Iscariot and Benedict Arnold.

"In sixty-two counties in Ohio the wet and dry question has been settled. In Marion it has been settled we believe forever, and if you will elect officers this coming election that will stand for law, order and decency, you will have begun a fight that will end in a better citizenship and cleaner politics in your beautiful city.

"Or will you vote for men committed to law nullification? If for the latter, it is an invitation to the lawless to come to your city. They are waiting with bated breath for the invitation. Mr. Voter, it is up to you. Will you meet it like a man? I believe you will."

Ex-Mayor White was frequently applauded. He is a very able speaker.

SOCIETY

Among the delightful affairs of the season was the bridge whist party given by Mrs Fred Haberman, Sr., at her home on south Main street, Tuesday afternoon, for her house guests, Mrs. A. E. Overmeyer, Mrs Henry D. Poock and Miss Cora Bell Poock, of Toledo. Mrs. Haberman, always a charming hostess, received her guests, assisted by Mrs. Fred Haberman, Jr., Mrs. Harry Haberman, Mrs. Harry Ammann and Miss Rosella Strelitz. The house adornments were yellow and white chrysanthemums which were placed tastefully about the rooms and enhanced the beauty of the scene. Tally-cards were etched in witches, black cats, and in fact, all the Halloween symbols were used. There were ten tables of enthusiastic players and the prize awards went to Mrs. C. E. Sargent, Mrs. Overmeyer and Mrs. Poock. At the twilight hour, Mrs. Haberman presided at a spread served at small tables.

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A delightful afternoon was given the members of the Current Topic home of Mrs. S. B. Lippincott, of east Center street, Tuesday. Each club who were entertained at the member gave the name of her favorite magazine in response to roll call. Mrs T. E. Day took up the subject of "Present Day Political Writers," and handled it in a very interesting as well as instructive way. "Current Topics" were discussed by Mrs. L. J Smith and enlightenment was gained on the doings of the day. Mrs W. B. Denman and Mrs D. H. Harvey who were to have had papers on "Magazines, Newspapers and Their Editors," were absent and the papers were omitted, as was music by Mrs. T. E. Day.

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Miss Goldia Gelbaugh, of south Prospect street, delightfully entertained a company of her friends, Tuesday evening. It was a Hallowe'en party and the home was decorated in the autumn shades.

After music and chat, a contest was enjoyed in which Miss Hilda Pangborn won the prize.

The hostess served a lunch.

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For sweet charity's sake, Mrs. G. Rosenberg, Miss Oppenheimer and Miss Rosenberg, gave a delightful progressive whist party under the auspices of the Marion Jewish Council of Women, in the Masonic temple, Tuesday evening. It was attended by a large number of men and women vitally interested in humanitarian work and considerable money was realized to further the work at the Jewish hospital for consumptives in Denver, Colorado.

Nine tables were filled with jolly players and much enthusiasm was manifested in the game. Mrs. H. Hershberg, of Titusville, Pennsylvania, held high score for the ladies and received the first prize. The gentlemen's prize was captured by Mr. Peniamin Marx. The affair was one of the many that will be arranged and carried out during the winter season.

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Mrs. James Hill, of south Vine street, was hostess at a very delightful dinner at noon Wednesday. Covers were laid for nine and a special time ensued. The dining-room adornments were yellow chrysanthemums. A large bunch was placed in the middle of the table and green leaves were scattered upon the snowy cloth.

Those attending this hospitable affair were Mr. Frank Reber, Mrs. Samuel R. Reber, Mrs. E. C. Holverstott, Mrs. George W. King, Mrs. Albert Oborn, Miss Mabel Coon, Miss Gladys Reber and Miss Gertrude Oborn.

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The home of Miss Katherine Shively, of south Prospect street, was the scene of a merry gathering, Wednesday evening, when she invited twenty-five young people to a Halloween party. Miss Shively was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schelling and Mr. and Mrs Harry Atkinson. Ghosts met the guests at the door and showed them to apartments assigned for wraps, after which the hostess interested them in an auction.

Little bags of corn were distributed in lieu of money, and boxes marked in an original fashion were put up for sale. One box was marked "A sharp pointer," and contained a toothpick. After the guests were separated from the corn, they were taken to the fishing pond where they tried their luck. A great many caught suckers, the fish being candy as were all the other novelties. A Hallowe'en supper was served, Japanese style, from a low table in the center of the dining-room, on which were three large lighted candles surrounded with small ones. The whole house was a bower of autumn leaves, corn shucks and draperies. The only lights used were candles in the pumpkin faces which lent just the right kind of a glow to make the scene effective.

The guests were Misses Minnie Osterle, Ruth Weber, Mary Atkinson, Anna Ebel, Irene Neally, Minnie Stark, Flora Stark, Anna Schoenlaub, Tienela Priester, Anna Hyde, Callie Webber, Anna Fetter, Mary Lehner, Clara Rathel, Clara Bickel, Stella Stark, Helen Peuser, Messrs. Harry Kull, Earl Jacobs, Walter Fetter, Clifford Schoenlaub, Ray Dorward, Paul Mittle and Bert Berg.

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With branches of autumn leaves used upon the walls, corn stalks arranged about the furniture and pumpkin faces on tables scattered about the rooms, the Davies home, Ellis place, presented a very inviting appearance for the guests who assembled there, Wednesday evening, in response to invitations sent out by Miss Lora Davies and Miss Bernice Lunger for a Halloween party.

The guests were in masquerade attire and nearly all nations were represented.

Miss Cleo Lunger presided at the punch bowl, which was in a tent of corn stalks, and dispensed freely from the flowing bowl. In a "North pole" contest Miss Bessie Dowler secured the prize.

The remainder of the evening was given over to the usual Halloween games and supper.

Among the guests were Misses Ina Klinefelter, Dorothy Strelitz, Katherine Reinicke, Ava Klinefelter, Charlotte McMurray, Hazel Clark, Rella Shurz, Bessie Shurz, Bessie Dowler, Messrs. Sterling Ross, Edward Conarty, Fred Taylor, Samuel Fetter, LaVerne Templeton, Welfred Davies, and Lloyd Dix and Don Jones, of Prospect.

BIRTHS.

Born, Thursday afternoon, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Revvie L. Buckingham, of north Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Artopocus, of Leader street, are the parents of a daughter, born October 22.

A son was born, October 22, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCloud, of Barnhart street.

A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnhart, of west Church street.

A son was born, Tuesday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peterson, of Latourette street.

Mr. and Mrs P. M. Walker, residing south of the city, are the parents of a son born Wednesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Minshall, of Silver street, Wednesday evening.

Mind your own business—unless you are getting paid for minding other people's.

The egg market paying 28 cents. wk R. T. Lewis & Co.

COLORED LAD APPEARS IN PROBATE COURT

Young McMichael Makes Promise Good.

DWIGHT BERRY FAILS IN HIS APPOINTMENT.

Goes to Country Instead of Presenting Himself in Court—Matter of Lads Held Responsible for the Burning of Barns Recently—Junk Dealers Censured for Actions.

Eleven-year-old Truman McMichael, colored, appeared in the juvenile court promptly at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, but sixteen-year-old Dwight Berry, white, failed to put in his appearance as directed by the court last Monday. Both boys were arrested in connection with the burning of the barn of Jacob Berry, on affidavits filed in the court of Justice Charles E. Gompf and were turned over to the juvenile court.

The Berry boy was charged with arson by Deputy State Fire Marshal L. D. Wilford, of Bucyrus, and the colored lad was charged with truancy, as it developed that he had not set the barn on fire. When young Berry did not come to court at the appointed hour, Thursday, Chief Probation Officer S. N. Titus was sent out to investigate. It was found that Berry had gone to the country with a hay-baler. His mother declared that he expected to be back in time to make his appearance in court.

After waiting an hour for the youth to arrive, Judge Spencer arraigned the colored boy in the presence of Jacob F. Leffler and Patrick Kelly, of the board of county visitors. The boy said he had been with Berry "hunting up junk" and went into the barn to smoke. He said young Berry threw a match down and the straw on the floor caught fire and that they then went away. "I wanted to go back and put it out," said the McMichael boy, "but he said he wouldn't."

Judge Spencer read a statement signed by the Berry youth. This corroborated the story of the colored boy in every detail.

"The Berry boy was to have been here," said the court. "If he has fled we will apprehend him and, as far as I am concerned, he will be sent to the reform school."

Mr. Kelly condemned the practice of certain junk dealers in buying from boys and said that they ought to be warned not to again purchase junk of any kind from youths of the city. "It often teaches them to steal to raise money in this way," he said.

"Have you ever been in trouble before?" Mr. Kelly asked the crying boy.

"Not this year," young McMichael replied. "I had trouble last year at school. I get blamed for everything that's done."

"Are you the only colored boy in the school?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do they blame things onto you because you're colored?" The question was asked by Mr. Kelly.

"Yes, sir," again said the boy, when Fire Chief McFarland came to the defense of the teacher. "The boy smokes cigarets and carries tobacco to school," Chief McFarland said "and this boy's troubles are due solely to the fact that he tells stories to his teacher, who won't tolerate him coming to school with the smell of tobacco on him."

The colored boy acknowledged that he smoked cigarets and told lies, but promised to quit smoking and telling untruths. The court sentenced him to the Boys' Industrial school at Lancaster, but suspended the sentence provided that he attended school regularly, stopped smoking cigarets, did not fib to his teacher any more, and reported every Saturday to the juvenile judge. A copy of the rules laid down by the court will be furnished the boy's mother

At a late hour, Thursday, young Berry had not been apprehended. The authorities in surrounding towns have been notified to look for him.

As a result of Berry's escape, Judge Spencer will ask the county commissioners to provide a place of detention. Under the law, the juvenile court has no right to place a juvenile delinquent in jail. The statutes say a detention home must be established in every county for juvenile prisoners.

PEOPLE ANNOYED BY THE HEAVY BLASTING

Charges Are Fired Through Entire Night.

For several weeks the people of the city have been subjected to a great deal of annoyance by unusually heavy blasting in the northwestern part of the city and it has been the subject of considerable comment.

Tuesday night, the blasting was continued throughout the night and early next morning. At midnight, people throughout the entire city were aroused by a blast that caused many to suppose that an explosion had occurred. This was the heaviest charge fired during the night and it brought many from their beds to learn the cause.

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DISTRICT MEETING IS HELD AT RICHWOOD

Much Church Business Is Given Attention

MANY MINISTERS ARE IN ATTENDANCE

Program Occupies Two Days and Is Interesting—Mrs C I Gill Is Hostess to the Mothers Club at Her Home at Richwood—Some Village Notes of Interest

Richwood Oct 28 —[Special]— The Central district meeting of the Methodist Protestant church was held in Richwood, Tuesday and Wednesday The attendance was good throughout and great interest was manifested in the many timely subjects under discussion At the first session Tuesday afternoon, devotional exercises ere conducted by Rev David Calkins Rev M R Stover the local pastor gave an address on The Financial Problem The Men Problem was the subject of a talk given by Rev W M Archer, while Rev C A Stroup D D spoke on The Prayer Meeting The evening session Tuesday opened with a praise service conducted b David Neal The address of the evening was given by Rev M M Campbell D D who gave a brief history of the founding of Methodism Wednesday morning devotional exercises were led by Rev W M Archer followed by a business session Rev Peter Le Clar gave an address on the subject Shall We Have Diversity or Unity of Plans and Methods? Rev N J Kinney spoke on 'The New Sunday School Movements—Shall We Adopt Them' Rev David Calkins spoke on The Revival We Need The afternoon session Wednesday opened with music and the first address was given by Rev E W Price on the subject True Worship and How to Obtain It Some Characteristics of the Successful Church was the subject of a splendid talk by Rev S C Creamer W J Elliott spoke on The Minister in Civic Movements and the discussion of the subject was opened by Rev C A Stroup D D The principal address of the meeting was given Wednesday evening by Rev Peter LeClar Aside from the pastors of all the local churches the following ministers were in attendance at the meeting Rev David *Calkins of Rush Creek circuit* Rev W M Archer of North Lewisburg Rev C A Stroup D D of Mechanicsburg Rev M M Campbell D D of Lewistown Rev N J Kinney of Claiborne circuit Rev E W Price of Ridgeway Rev S C Creamer of Catawba Rev W J Elliott of Lakeview Rev Peter Le Clar president of Ohio conference of Springfield

Mrs C I Bourquin and little sons, Monroe and Robert of Jamestown North Dakota arrived in Richwood today for a visit with the former's grandmother Mrs Sarah Marmon and her sister Mrs Grancey Kinney and Miss Clara Monroe

Mrs E Y King has returned from an extended Western trip which was made in company with the official party of the M E church which attended the annual meeting of the missionary board held in Los Angeles two weeks ago Mrs King is national secretary of the bureau of supplies of the Woman Home Missionary society of the M E church The trip was an exceedingly interesting one The party held meetings at Spokane Seattle Tacoma Portland and San Francisco On the return trip stops were made at Albuquerque Kansas City and St Louis Mrs King will spend a short time here with Mr and Mrs Charles E King and will then go Delaware for the winter

Evan I ones accompanied by his daughter Miss Mary drove to Marysville Monday and spent th day

Miss Clara Maize of Marion was *the guest Sunday of Mrs Willis* Hancock who lives just west of Richwood

Miss Wanda Mealey of Monnette hall Delaware visited from Saturday until Monday with her grandmother Mrs Margaret Mealey

Blanch Croft of Newcomerstown spent Sunday here with his mother Mrs Annie Croft of Beatty avenue

Mrs Cutler Hunt has returned from Columbus where she spent several days with her daughter Mrs Kall Dixon

Earl B VanWinkle of Columbus spent Sunday with his parents Mr and Mrs S W Van Winkle

Iven Wea er who is attending business college in Tiffin spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Richwood

Mr and Mrs John Collier and daughters of Laven visited Mr Collier's father ... Collier and other relatives during the past week

Milton Sala and Mrs Foster of Hindsboro Illinois returned home a few days ago after having spent several days with their cousin E E Johnson, and family west of Richwood

Frank Graham has resigned his position as assistant cashier for the Richwood Banking company and John A Shipley who has been employed as bookkeeper by the company for several years, has been promoted to the position Mr Graham recently engaged in the furniture business in Marion, in partnership with Sherman Lister, a former resident of Richwood, and a portion of his time will now be devoted to the business in Marion

Work has been started on the construction of a new residence for R W I nox on north Clinton street

Mrs John Slemmons and daughter Miss Audrey, of Marion, visited the former's sister Mrs A D Evans and other relatives here during the past week

Oscar Market and little daughter Helen Louise of Marion were guests Wednesday of Mr and Mrs Jason Case, of Beatty avenue

Master Harold Bown celebrated his ninth birthday anniversary Monday evening in a very delightful manner at the home of his parents Dr and Mrs S J Bown on west Ottawa street The hours were from 4 to 8 o'clock and the little people enjoyed every minute of the time In a clever guessing contest Miss Cecil Elliott was awarded a prize The guests were Misses Gwen Martlott Elinor Pauline Gill Lucille Livingston Azile Gill Gertrude Mather Catherine Sey Cecil Elliott Gladys and Ruth Bown Masters Walter Spring, Harold Winter Elmer Elliott Royal Winter and Carl Elicking er

John and Wesley Bosh were in Radnor Monday in attendance at the funeral of the infant child of their cousins Mr and Mrs Elzie Bosh

Byron W Snyder died Friday at his home west of Richwood after a year's suffering of valvular heart trouble The young man was twenty four years old He was unmarried and lived on the farm with his father Ezekiel Snyder His mother died several years ago He was an exemplary young man and his untimely death is sincerely mourned in the community in which he lived Funeral services were held from the late home Sunday morning Rev N J Kinney pastor of Claiborne M P church officiating The remains were taken to Oakdale cemetery near Marysville for interment

The fire wells of the village were given a thorough test Tuesday Engineer Charles Adams and his assistants and all but one were found *to be in excellent condition One of* the wells in Beem's addition failed to stand the test satisfactorily, and repairs will be made at once

Mrs M J Layton went to Cleveland Saturday to spend several months with her daughter Mrs Celestia White

A very successful Sunday school rally was held Sunday afternoon at the African Baptist church The attendance was quite good and great interest was manifest A nice program was rendered and the principal address was made by Rev Charles B Cramer pastor of the M E church In the evening Rev Robert Johnson of Delaware preached an able sermon to an attentive congregation

Miss Allie Carroll visited her uncle P C Carroll and family of Marion during the past week

Mrs R M Taylor and little son Max who have been visiting the former's mother Mrs Ida E Witbeck have gone to Birmingham Alabama to join Mr Taylor who has employment in that city for the winter

Twelve applicants from Richwood took the civil service examination at Marysville Saturday one of whom will no doubt be appointed to fill the vacancy in the local corps of rural mail carriers caused by the death of Robert Smith

Work is progressing rapidly on the installation of the new magneta lights on the streets of Richwood

Mrs C I Gill was hostess to the Mothers club Tuesday afternoon at her home on West Ottawa street The attendance was very good and an interesting program was rendered Considerable business was transacted at the conclussion of which a delightful social hour was spent

Mr and Mrs W I January who were married last Thursday at the home of the bride's parents Mr and Mrs George Hartman have gone to Columbus where they will begin housekeeping at 117 Prescott street Mr January is employed as a salesman by the Standard Oil company

Reuben Butz drove to Richwood Monday morning from his home southeast of here and hitched his team and wagon on south Franklin street A passing team took fright at an automobile and ran into Mr Butz's wagon which was badly wrecked The runaway team was stopped before any serious damage was done

GENERAL BOOTH GOING BLIND

Shocks London with Announcement Last Night

London Oct 28 General William Booth the remarkable octogenarian commander in chief of the great missionary organization in the world the Salvation army has all London shocked and sympathetic today following his calm announcement from the platform last night that he is rapidly going blind The veteran churchman explained that when the light fails he will continue to supervise the work of the Salvation army all over the world despite his infirmity

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS GIVE A NICE AFFAIR

A Literary Program Is Very Much Enjoyed

THE FERRIN HOME SCENE OF SURPRISE

Company Gathers at the Home of Mr and Mrs Morris Ferrin in Celebration of an Anniversary of the Birth of the Host—Notes of Past Week at Green Camp

Green Camp Oct 28 —[Special]— The pupils of the High school gave their first literary entertainment for the term Friday afternoon It was enjoyed by a large number of visitors

A N Carmine and family of Adelaide visited friends here Sunday

Dr Bernard Moloney of Columbus was the guest of his parents Mr *and Mrs Pryan Moloney Sunday*

John Moore has sold his property to Mr Gottleib Keller and will move to Marion in a few weeks Frank Bogardus will not move his family into the house until spring

Mr and Mrs Harry Williams and children were guests at the home of Mr and Mr J B Walker Saturday and Sunday

William McCall of Marion was the guest of his parents Sunday

Mr and Mrs Frank Morris and sons and Mrs Henry Somers and daughter enjoyed the hospitality of Mr and Mrs F R Hopkins of Oak Hill Sunday

An agreeable little surprise party was enjoyed at the home of Mr and Mrs Morris Ferrin Saturday night *which had been arranged by Mrs* Ferrin in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary Those responding to the invitation were Mr and Mrs J C McClelland Mr and Mrs R C McClelland Dr and Mrs C A Linebrock and daughter Mr and Mrs Charles Reynolds and daughter Mr and Mrs Glenn Debolt Mr and Mrs M A Porter Mr and Mrs Newton *Davis Mr and Mrs George Wel*more and son Mr and Mrs Lay Conwell Mr and Mrs A F Northrup and on Mr and Mrs Martin Ward Mrs E A Leverton Mrs Clarence Somerlott and children The out of town guests were Mr and Mrs Bert Carey and son and Miss Florence Ferrin of Marion The time was pleasantly passed with games and *music*

Mr and Mrs John Kitzler were at Kenton Thursday attending the funeral of John Sherman

Mr and Mrs George Hedges were entertained by Mr and Mrs Samuel Poos Sunday

Mr and Mrs Frank Wilson of near Agosta were guests of Mr and Mrs I D Ruth Sunday

Mr and Mrs William S... were the guests of Mr and Mrs E C Kirts of Newmans Sunday

Mrs W N Porter returned Saturday night from an extended visit at Lansing, Michigan

The Misses Hilda Porter and Marguerite Moore were in Delaware Friday night to hear Madame Nordica

Mr and Mrs E O Smith and Mr and Mrs J S Loos and son were guests of Mr and Mrs Jacob Brich r Sunday

A nice little surprise was given by the neighbors and friends of Mr Hiram Johnson Friday evening They appeared with well filled baskets to help celebrate an anniversary of her birth

Mrs Henry Somers and daughter Helen of North Baltimore are the guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Morris

Mrs Floyd Conwell and son of Columbus were the guests of Mr and Mrs A E White and family last week

Mr and Mrs E E Sharp and family were entertained at the Corenflo home Wednesday

Mr and Mrs Claud E Fletcher have moved their household goods to the M I Morral farm where they will make their home for the coming year

Charles Ohler lost a valuable mare Tuesday She was tied in the barn with her four months old colt when one of the other horses broke loose and kicked her, breaking her leg She had to be killed

Miss Florence Ennis entertained a few friends at her home Friday night Her guests were Marguerite Collins Betta Northrup Amber Somlett John Ewell and David Schwaderer

Mrs Mellie Carmin was a business visiter in Marion Monday

Glen Wier and Amber Somerlott were Ebhw visitors Sunday

A big Sale Thursday November 4 Consisting of ... cattle and ... combined ... A ... chunk ... with ... some ... prospects ... Good ... with ... hogs ... horse ... and three of ... colts ... Everybody invited ... commence at 11 o'clock ... Brewer ... mile north of Marion ... S S Stowell ...

JOSEPH ULMER DIES AT HOME IN MARTEL

Death Comes After a Lingering Illness

THE FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD WEDNESDAY

Master Wesley Burton Is the Victim of an Accident—He Suffers Badly Broken Arm as the Result of a Fall—Notes of Interest Gathered at Martel

Martel Oct 28 —[Special]— Joseph Ulmer aged twenty two years died at the home of his parents Mr and Mr George Ulmer Monday morning Death was due to diabetis of which he had been a patient sufferer for about three years He was the youngest of six children four of whom survive He was an earnest Christian worker having been a member of the Whetstone church since childhood He was confined to his bed only since Friday Besides his parents one brother and three sisters survive Harry Mrs George Pauser of Lucyrus Misses Sarah and Edna Ulmer at home and Jacob Ulmer of Galion Funeral services were held at the Whetstone church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock Rev D M Christman officiating Interment was made in the Whetstone cemetery

Master Wesley Burton met with a very painful injury at the home of his grandmother Mrs Wesley Steadman at New Winchester Sunday afternoon He was engaged in running with a number of his playmates when he stumbled and fell on his right arm breaking both bones just above the wrist

Floyd Mumford of Marion was the guest of his sister Mrs Lawrence Kerr Saturday and Sunday

Mr John Stauffer is visiting friends and relatives in Marion and Monnett this week

Mrs A E Fenfeld and grand daughter Nellie are visiting relatives in Galion

Mrs Edward Moloney and son, *Cecil of Galion* are the guests of Mrs William Weidinner

Samuel Stauffer was the guest of his brother Daniel Stauffer, in Marion Thursday

Mrs A S Dowis and Mrs Cassie Ewly were business visitors in Marion Thursday

Mr and Mrs John Neff and daughters Fonne and Fune were the guests of Mr and Mrs Christopher Kohns near Lucyrus Sunday

Mrs Ellen Cissinger and grand daughter Nell Clark arrived home Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Trumbull county

Mrs Howard Coulter and son Cornel and Miss Nettie Lover of Galion were the guests of relatives west of town Thursday

Mrs Charles Winch and daughter Jessie arrived home Saturday after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr and Mr R A Fouce at Berg Hill

Mr and Mrs Lewi Wincupler of Galion were the guests of the latter's parents Mr and Mrs John Burton here Sunday

Mrs Harry DeWeese of Galion was the guest of her parents Mr and Mr Jacob Loyer from Wednesday until Friday

Mrs Jennie Shirlock of Green Fort Kansas is making an extended visit with her parents Mr and Mrs Alex Cochran south of town

Mr G F Heileman and daughters Clara and Hazel and Miss Cora Burton were Caledonia visitors, Thursday

Miss Ruth Clark of Marion, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday

Charl ... Hotletter and Ralph Downs were transacting business in Marion Monday

Mr and Mrs F M Spurlock were summoned to Bellefontaine Tuesday on account of the death of the former's father Milton Spurlock which occurred at that place Monday evening

Mr Charles Ballenger of Lucyrus is visiting relatives and friends here

Mr and Mrs William Laughlin of Elmer Washington and Mrs Henry Spangler of Meeker are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Luther Leathers ... Climis

Mr and Mrs R O Winch, Mr and Mr E M Spurlock Mr and Mrs E S Cissinger and children, Mr and Mr O S Tones and son John Mr ... McCune and Messrs Turton Devans and Charles Hotstetter enjoy a goose roast at the Spurlock residence here Sunday

E E Cyl... and John Fesher arrived here Monday after a few days visit in Pierre South Dakota

His Favorite Song

There is a young optician in Denver who sings very well says the Post of that city He other night he was making a call on a couple of sisters up on Colonial street when he was asked to sing

"What shall it be" he asked as he went to the piano

"Your favorite song" said one of the girls

"All right" he replied and then the optician sat down and sang "The Night Hath a Thousand Eyes"

OPENING OF LECTURE COURSE AT LA RUE

L B Wickersham Is First on the Program of Season

THE GRIMES FAMILY MOVES TO MARION

The Members of the Twentieth Century Club Entertains at the Home of Mrs S A Raub—An Excellent Program Occupies the Time—Items from LaRue

LaRue Oct 29 —[Special]— The first number of the citizens lecture course will be given November 8 by L B Wickersham

Mr and Mrs C E Grim moved their household goods to Marion Friday of this week where they expect to reside

C M Liggett of Cardington is a visitor at LaRue this week

Mrs H Hussey of Upper Sandusky is the guest of her son Charles Hussey and family this week

A Elder returned home Wednesday from a visit with relatives at Ada

Mr and Mrs Earl Herron and son Bernard of Galion were guests of Mrs Herron's father E Anderson and family Sunday and Monday Mr and Mrs Herron will move to Fort Lauderdale *oon*

Mrs R A Smith and little Miss Juanita Seivers left Tuesday evening for Cincinnati where they will make an extended visit with relatives

Mr and Mrs C E Bohannan returned to their home in Ada Monday after a few days visit with the latter's parents Mr and Mrs J J *Johnson north of LaRue*

Mrs C H Allen and Mrs James Crowley Jr were Marion visitors Monday

Miss Mabel Dilsaver of near Richwood has been the guest of her sister Mrs Oscar Dilsaver the past week

G W Hinklin returned home Monday from Carrett Indiana where he was called by the death of a son of Mr and Mrs Howard Kinkhin of that place

Mrs J S Cuthery Mrs W H Johnston and Mrs Cecil Raub attended the Nordica concert at Delaware Friday evening

Miss Elzina Cheney has been the guest of relatives at Elkhart the past week

E E Johnson Misses Flo and Ethel Johnson of this place and Mr and Mrs C E Bohannan of Ada were guests of Mr and Mrs J Myers north of LaRue Sunday

Mrs W E Thew of this place is at Cincinnati this week attending the state convention of the Order of Eastern Star

Mrs E E Tilton and daughter Bertha were Marion visitors Tuesday

Mrs E K Teeters was a visitor in Marion Wednesday

Miss Julia Kelly of Findlay, Mrs Robert Ports and son Robert and Thomas Phillips of Columbus Mr and Mrs C W Manley and daughters Zelda and Juanita attended the Stillsmith Manley wedding near Essex Sunday

Miss Clemmie Miller and Master Leroy Miller of near Agosta were guests of Mr and Mrs J D Hastings from Saturday until Monday

Mrs S A Raub at her home southeast of LaRue was hostess to the members of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon the attendance being good October Happenings were given in response to roll call Four People of China was a paper read by Mrs William Drake Mrs S E Cuthery followed with a paper on Foreign Missions of China After readings by the club members Mrs E S Walker furnished instrumental music, and current events were discussed The club members will entertain their husbands at a Halloween party Friday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs E H Raub

Mr Cleston Johnson was a visitor at Agosta Friday

Mrs Nathan Baker has gone to Columbus where she will be the guest of her daughter Mrs K E Culver and family for a few weeks

Mrs John Alt was a visitor in Marion Monday

Mrs C W Rodgers and Miss Ossie Dilsaver were Marion visitors Monday

Miss Marguerette Paulsen and Miss Bertha Anderson attended the elocutionary entertainment given by Miss Nelle Crosson at Marion Thursday evening

Mrs C H Daybread has returned to her home in Franklin Indiana after a two weeks visit with relatives at LaRue

The members of the Methodist church and their friends held a reception at the church Tuesday evening for the pastor Rev W H Lee and family The time was passed socially and light refreshment served

Owen Gray post No 2 4 G A R held the annual supper at the hall Wednesday evening There was a large attendance and an enjoyable time was had Music was furnished by a male quartet and a chorus of misses An excellent supper was served

Mrs Louisa Spotts died at the home of her son Joseph Couch, at ... Saturday afternoon at 2 ... She had been sick for some ... complication of diseases ... was born in Pennsylvania De... 181... being aged sixty seven years nine months and twenty ... days She had been a resident of Marion county thirty years Two sons and one daughter survive The funeral was held Monday at 10 o'clock at Fairview church south of LaRue Rev J A Sutton officiating

D E Kemper of Delaware was a business visitor at LaRue Wednesday

Mrs Marjorie ... of Columbus has been the guest of relatives at Marion the past week

NOTES OF THE PAST FEW DAYS AT MEEKER

People Visiting the Village and in the vicinity

Meeker Oct 29 —[Special]— Mr and Mrs Willis Kelly and daughter Mary of Hepburn were guests of Mr and Mrs Thomas Meeker from Friday till Sunday

Miss Edna Baker returned to Meeker Monday after having spent several weeks with her parents Mr and Mrs George Palmer southwest of LaRue

The Epworth league service was very interesting Sunday evening Audrey Anthony contributed a fine vocal solo and Mae Metz read an essay on the Power of the Will which was well written and forceful F C Emmons will be the leader next Sunday evening and the service will be equally interesting

Mr and Mrs Hiram Gillispie west of town are visitors in Ashland county this week

It pays you to buy Beatty & Long's new no leak rubbers

THE COLUMBUS STRIKERS LOSE

Pressmen and Press Feeders Back at Old Scale

Columbus O Oct 6 —The printing pressmen and the press feeders who went on a strike here last week for an eight hour instead of a nine hour work day lost and have voted to return to their old places under former conditions In the trouble they lost two of the largest open shops which will now be non union throughout Four shops signed the new scale when the strike started

OBITUARY

Mrs Clarentine Mason second child in a family of three children of David and Lucinda Gray was born February 2 186 and departed this life October 2 1909 at the age of forty seven years eight months and two days She was the last of the family her infant brother Amos dying April 2 1864 her father September 11 1864 her mother January 11 1902 and sister Flora July 1 190 ... Thus this family has become extinct She was united in marriage with Elmer J Mason March 1 1884 and his kind disposition was always a solace to her She leaves to mourn their loss a kind and affectionate husband together with a host of relatives and neighbors In her school days she became afflicted with rheumatism which blighted her health and withered the joys of life to the day of her death Conscious of her affliction though silent as the stars Central around the fireside of her home where grow and bloom the virtues of our race She was intelligent noble grand In short the fruit of this great world's best endeavor Thus this frail and modest woman is taken from our midst by that great destroyer death and we bow our heads in submission feeling that the sweet memories of life's voyage will come back to us like poems of consolation So we can for a little while in our minds live the life over And now after a life of patient suffering we sincerely hope that this dear friend will find in death all there is of worth to life

Origin of Surnames

Surnames were introduced into England by the Normans and were adopted by the nobility about 1100 The old Normans used Fitz which signifies *son as Fitzherbert* The Irish used O for grandson—O'Neal O'Donnell The Scottish highlanders used Mac as MacDonald son of Donald The Welsh used Ap as Ap Rhys the son of Rhys Ap Richard The prefix Ap eventually was combined with the name of the father hence Prys Pritchard etc The northern nations added the word son to the father's name as Williamson Many of the most common surnames, such as Johnson Wilson Dyson Nich... ... were taken by Brabanters ... others Flemings who were naturalized in the reign of Henry VI, ...

Poison Squad In Philadelphia Schools

... son squad idea is to children ... be adopted in Philadelphia ... school ... special lunches will be ... in schools while pupils ... will be allowed to eat ... what they please and mental and physical comparisons will be made at the end of the term

CHURCH WOMEN AT AUGENSTINE HOME

Waldo M E Aid Society Members Entertained

A GATHERING OF REFORMED SOCIETY

Mr and Mrs Charles Groll Entertain a Company of Their Friends at Their Home in the Village—Affair at the Housworth Residence Waldo Notes of Week

Waldo Oct 29 —[Special]— The Ladies Aid society of the M E church held a regular meeting, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs William Augustine, north of town

The Reformed Ladies Aid society was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs Ray Anthony

A son was born Tuesday, to Mr and Mrs Thomas Glaze

Mr and Mrs F Hess of Marion were the guests of Waldo friends Sunday

Mr and Mrs Charles Howald of Delaware visited Waldo friends, Sunday and Monday

Mr and Mrs Charles Groll entertained a number of friends at dinner Sunday Mr and Mrs William Kenney Sr of Marion were out-of-town guests

Mr and Mrs Charles Houseworth entertained Tuesday evening

Miss Grace Wiser was a Delaware visitor Monday

Miss Dena Marie Benedict visited with friends in Marion from Saturday till Monday

Mr and Mrs William Groll visited friends in Delaware Friday

Mrs Ralph Denzer is quite ill at her home east of town

Mrs John Brandy spent several days with Columbus friends the past week

Charles High sold at public sale Tuesday his farming stock and implements and will soon move to Westfield where he has purchased property

Mr and Mrs H Owens, of Delaware visited Mr and Mrs C L Russell Monday

Misses Florence and Ada Stark were Prospect visitors Friday

Mrs C E Russell visited in Marion Thursday

Mr and Mrs W C Michels and son Robert and R O Morris were guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs Murray Claypolle near Cardington

Mr C Kinckle was a Marion visitor Friday

Mr Snyder of Columbus state school inspector visited the Waldo schools Friday in the interest of centralization

Miss Lydia Augustine was at Bellevue Thursday and Friday Miss Augustine was called to Bellevue by the death of a cousin at that place

Mrs Susan Delany has moved to Waldo and will occupy part of the house of Mrs Sarah Oborn

The first number on the citizens lecture course will be given Tuesday evening, November 2, and will consist of a lecture by George L McNutt on The Dinner Pail Man"

Andrew Whiteman of Marion, was a Waldo visitor Sunday

Mr and Mrs J W Luellen of Marion were guests of Waldo friends Sunday

Master Ronald Felanders of Radnor is the guest, this week of his grandmother Mrs Mary Lelander

Cornelius Boger of Marion visited Waldo friends Sunday

Mrs J Overdorf who has been absent several weeks visiting friends in Pennsylvania has returned home

REAL ESTATE

Frank J Althen to Frank W Haubert one lot in Marion $700

E E Eberhower to J W Jacot two lots in Marion $1 800

John H Dwyer to John Baldauf and other four lots in Marion $ 00

S J DeWolfe to J H Bain and other part of one lot in Marion one dollar

The Hoskins & Ruth Manufacturing company to O L Hipsher twenty acres in Claridon township, $1 000

Mat Le Velle and others to *Theresa Coon part of one lot* in Marion $800

Lunice A Love to J Wilbur Jacoby one lot in Marion $8 000

Charles Mason and others by sheriff to the Hoskins & Ruth Manufacturing company twenty acres in Claridon township $810

Ida J McColley to Mary L Scott one lot in Marion $700

William B McKisson to Willis H Rider one lot in Marion $600

Fred W Peters to Z D Drake one lot in Marion $100

E A Robinson to J H Fam and others one lot in Marion, one dollar

Philip Sivey to Maggie I Sivey part of two lots in Marion one dollar

J P Stoneburner to James J Guthery and others about 33 acres in Big Island township $11 33?

H O Toms to Union Mills one lot in Prospect $1 5

Good fresh rubbers of all kinds sold by Beatty & Long

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LAW SATISFIED IN CROOKS CASE

Murderer Atones For Crime In Electric Chair.

CONCEAL EXECUTOR'S IDENTITY

While Seated In Chair Condemned Man Praises Governor's Wisdom, but Says He Made Mistake In Refusing Commutation of Sentence. Two Shocks Required and Is Pronounced Dead In Six Minutes — Is Overcome by Sweetheart's Visit.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—Harry Edward Crooks, Dayton wife murderer, was electrocuted in the annex at the penitentiary shortly after midnight this morning, two shocks being required to render life extinct. In six minutes after the current was turned on physicians pronounced him dead.

The condemned man was attended by Chaplain Richards and Rev. H. B. Lewis of Lancaster, his boyhood home, and to which place the body will be taken for burial. Before taking his seat in the chair Crooks asked permission to shake hands with Thomas Sessions of Dayton, a friend who had stood firmly by him throughout his trouble.

Before the current was turned on Crooks made the following statement: "Our governor is a learned man and a wise counsellor, but he made a mistake in this case." His last words were, "God help me."

The electric switchboard was concealed from view of the spectators by a cabinet. Inside the cabinet were Deputy Warden Charles Resch and the penitentiary electrician. Which one threw the lever that sent the fatal current through the condemned man's body may never be known unless they decide to tell it themselves.

Scenes between the condemned man and his nearest relatives at their last meetings in the annex were sad. John Crooks of Chicago, a brother, and his wife, and Mrs. Sarah Feigle of Lancaster, a sister, were with Crooks. The women were dressed in mourning, and when they left were crying.

Visited by Old Sweetheart.

At Crooks' special request Mrs. Nellie Wright Clay of Lancaster, a former sweetheart, visited him. They carried on a conversation in low whispers. It was plainly seen that Crooks was under a terrible strain while talking to her and he came near breaking down.

During the summer of 1908 Crooks shot his wife to death on a Dayton street, near her home. He had met her in the center of the city and begged her to remarry him. She refused and asked a policeman to accompany her home. The policeman went part way and then expressed the opinion that her fears that he would molest her on her way were groundless. When within a few yards of her home Crooks jumped out from an alley and shot her six times.

Some years before, he had become addicted to the drug habit, and he claimed at the trial that he had no recollection of the crime. Crooks' case was carried to the supreme court and then to the state pardon board, which recommended commutation to life imprisonment. Governor Harmon, however, refused to grant the commutation.

JUDGMENTS IN DANGER

Denman Discovers Toledo Judge is Elected Without Authority.

Toledo, O., Oct. 29.—Toledo attorneys are somewhat perturbed by the ruling of Attorney General Denman that the extra judge provided for the common pleas court in Lucas county by legislative act in 1869, was only a temporary officer, as no provision was made for the election of his successor, and that the voters of the county have been electing judges to an office that has not existed for 35 years.

The attorney general made the startling discovery while attempting to settle the dispute between Judge Lindley W. Morris and Judge-elect Curtis T. Johnson as to when the former's term expires and the latter's begins.

Just what effect the discovery will have on Judge Morris' judgments in civil and criminal cases is problematical. It has been suggested that the higher courts would regard him as judge de facto and hold his acts legal.

WINS FORTUNE IN COTTON

Patton on Right Side of Market When Prices Advance.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Profits which James A. Patton and his friends have been piling up on the bull side of the cotton market were swelled by a further sharp rise in the price. Mr. Patton has been right on the cotton market for some weeks, and according to brokers the steady advance in prices during that time has added a big round sum to the fortune which he has wrested from the grain pits on the board. His winnings so far are estimated at upward of $1,000,000, and many of his friends have made more than enough out of the market to pay this winter's coal bills.

BUILD MAMMOTH DOCKS

Cleveland Harbor to Be Improved by Pennsylvania Railroad.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 29.—Since the visit of President James McCrea of the Pennsylvania railroad to Pittsburg, it has come out that mammoth steel docks to cost more than $4,000,000 have been planned for Cleveland



JAMES M'CREA.

by engineers of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, and work on them will begin early in 1910.

The docks are not to be built along the banks of the Cuyahoga, but along the lake front, and will be for the accommodation of the larger ore shippers whose lake craft are too large to be handled with any speed in the river.

TAFT SPEEDS ON AHEAD OF PARTY

Governors and Others Then Take to Railroad Train.

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 29.—At Helena President Taft ran away from the Mississippi deep waterway fleet, and part of the crowd tried investigating the Mississippi from the windows of a train. The 25 governors and 177 congressmen were among those who deserted the fleet for seats in Pullman parlor cars. The whole trouble arose through the bungling of the St. Louis Business Men's league in arranging the schedule for the trip. They took the maximum speed of the fastest boat in the Taft fleet and the maximum of the slowest and added them together, divided by two, and accepted the result as an average speed for their running schedule. It never occurred to them that this average was greater than some of the old stern wheelers could do.

The president tried running with the fleet and came into Memphis three hours late. He was late also in reaching Helena, although he had cut his Memphis stay in half. After that he decided to strike out on his own hook, letting the governors, congressmen and waterway rooters make the best of their way to New Orleans.

The governors and the congressmen soon found themselves hopelessly behind the president's boat. They knew that Vicksburg had made big preparations for their entertainment, and they were a mighty peevish lot until the railroad suggestion occurred to several of them. The governors, congressmen and a boatload or two of the deep waterway rooters were dumped out on the Greenville levee, and then there was a 15-minute trolley ride into the town. Congressmen were hanging on straps while many a rear platform was loaded with governors. From Greenville the trip to Vicksburg was made by special train.

WANTS TO RIDE WITH TAFT

Governor of Louisiana Asserts Dignity of His Position.

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—The committee on receptions for President Taft while in New Orleans has received a telegram from Governor Sanders saying that unless he was placed in the first carriage with President Taft he would not take part in the parade tomorrow morning. It developed that the governor had been placed with the Mexican ambassador, a number of carriages removed from that bearing the distinguished guest.

Sneer Changes Woman's Mind.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—A sneer caused Mrs. Esther Levy to change her purpose to suicide to murder when she went to the cell of her husband, Abraham Levy, in the police station, and pleaded with him to return to her and their four children whom he had deserted. Instead of firing a bullet into her temple, as she had planned, she shot him probably fatally in the abdomen. Then she tried to commit suicide by shooting herself in the head, but was prevented by quick action of jailers.

Gambler Shot by Wife.

Reno, Nev., Oct. 29.—A. E. Talbot, a millionaire gambler, widely known all along the coast, was probably fatally shot by his wife after a violent quarrel over a divorce suit which she intended to file.

LAZY GERM TO BE WIPED OUT

Oil King Gives Million Dollars to Combat Hook Worm.

IS BANE OF SOUTHERN LIFE

Disease Which Follows Its Introduction Into Human System Is Characterized by Desire on Part of Victim to Remain In State of Repose and Avoid Personal Contact With Work—Commission Announces Acceptance of Formidable Task.

New York, Oct. 29.—The hook worm, known as the lazy man's bug of the south, will be put out of business if a million dollars will turn the trick. John D. Rockefeller has given that amount for the purpose, the disbursement to be in the hands of a committee of 12, of which John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is a member.

Mr. Rockefeller conceived the idea of going after the hook worm in a scientific manner several months ago, and since then he has been making inquiries personally and through his agents as to the possibility of fighting it. A week ago Frederick T. Gates, one of Mr. Rockefeller's agents, sent telegrams to some of the men with whom Mr. Rockefeller had spoken on the subject of the hook worm, asking them to come to his office here and talk the matter over.

Who Will Spend Money.

The summons were addressed to Dr. William H. Welch, professor of pathology in Johns Hopkins university, and president of the American Medical association; Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller institute for medical research; Dr. Charles W. Stiles, who is chief of the division of zoology in the United States public health and marine hospital service, and the discoverer of the American species of hook worm and one of the first to appreciate the prevalence of the disease; Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia; Dr. David F. Houston, chancellor of Washington university, St. Louis; P. P. Claxton, professor of education in the University of Tennessee; J. Y. Joyner, state superintendent of education in North Carolina and president of the National Education association; Walter B. Page, editor of the World's Work; Dr. H. B. Frissell, pinc ipal of Hampton institute.

The committee at the end of the conference dispatched a letter to Mr. Rockefeller accepting his commission, and agreeing to serve on the board, which they named "The Rockefeller Commission for the Eradication of the Hook Worm Disease."

HOW TO AVOID GRAFTERS

Collector Loeb Tells Importers to Come to Him With Troubles.

New York, Oct. 29.—Collector William Loeb, while not denying that importers have been subjected to a system of graft by customs officers in which the importers have taken a willing part, wants it understood that so long as he sits in the collector's chair any importer, big or little, can come directly to him with any complaint of grafting officers and be sure of protection and justice. "If any merchant of New York is being held up or forced to pay graft, or delayed in his business because he does not," said Collector Loeb, "let him be frank with me. I will guarantee personally to take his case up and see that it goes through the custom house with all reasonable dispatch."

While Mr. Loeb would not go into further details concerning the plans of the customs department to stamp out grafting, it was learned that the department awoke some time ago to the true condition of affairs, and to the realization that the evil is by no means confined to lower officers alone.

TALKS IN BARRILL'S HOME

Dr. Cook Tells Neighbors of Guides Affidavits Are False.

Hamilton, Mont., Oct. 29.—Invading the country of the enemy by visiting and delivering a lecture in the home town of Edward N. Barrill and Fred Printz, the guides who were with him on his Mt. McKinley trip, Dr. Frederick A. Cook was given an ovation by the residents of the town and the Bitter Root valley.

In his lecture he denounced as false the statements made by the guides who claim that he did not reach the top of Mt. McKinley, and said his attorneys will continue their investigations until they catch the parties who, he alleges, bribed them to make the affidavits.

Strange Disease Attacks Students.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 29.—Over 50 students of Georgia Military academy were removed to hospitals suffering from a disease which has so far baffled the physicians. The boys began to be attacked while at drill. Boy after boy fell down on the parade ground and rolled about in great pain. Some of the symptoms resemble poisoning, but they are not marked enough to warrant a definite statement that they have been poisoned.

DOINGS IN OHIO

Live News From All Parts of the Buckeye State.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—Harvey Johnson, colored lifetermer from Franklin county, made a desperate but unsuccessful attempt to escape from the penitentiary. Under a plea of being sick he was escorted to the hospital by a guard. At the hospital entrance he slugged the guard over the head with a piece of iron pipe which he had concealed under his blouse. The guard dropped, but was quickly on his feet and sounded the alarm. After half an hours hunt the convict was run down and captured, after Deputy Warden Resch had taken a couple of shots at him with his Winchester. A home-made dagger was found in Johnson's pocket and a ladder of wire was wrapped around his body.

Dies to Save Girl.

Steubenville, O., Oct. 29. — Frank Angelletta, 21, an Italian section hand, died the death of a hero in his endeavor to prevent 12-year-old Minnie Hayes from being killed by a freight train on the Panhandle railroad. In his anxiety for the girl's safety he failed to notice the approach of a train on the opposite track and he was hurled high in the air, falling on a spade which he was carrying. His head was severed from his body.

Death Not Due to Oysters.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—A report by Inspector C. W. Orr to State Food Commissioner Dunlap showed that the oysters which caused the death of Chairman Charles A. Kloeb of the Democratic state central committee developed ptomaine germs while kept in a porcelain lined pan. Other oysters sold by the dealer from the same sealed receptacle caused no illness, and those sent to the Kloeb house were served to the family without ill effect.

Alleged Dynamiter Arrested.

Zanesville, O., Oct. 29.—Joseph Dickson, 55, a former miner, who had been employed as bartender for William Fisher, was arrested on the charge of having dynamited the residence of Daniel B. Gary, head of the Civic league, and the Zanesville Furniture factory. The affidavit was sworn to by Willard Wheaton and Fred Glazer, two young men, who claim they heard Dickson boasting of the crime while intoxicated.

Quits Pulpit to Heal.

Hamilton, O., Oct. 29. — That he may become the founder of a great school of healing, similar to the Emmanuel Movement, is the reason announced by Rev. A. S. Corbett for his resignation of the pulpit of Trinity Episcopal church. Mr. Corbett has conceived a system of healing called "Psycho-Neurology," the basis of which is thought absorption.

Shortage Made Good.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—Edward L. Kimes, clerk of Lucas county, paid the state $12,712.12, the amount of shortage which state examiners found in his accounts as superintendent of Forest cemetery; at Toledo, for eight years prior to 1906.

Jury Convicts Mackie.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 29. — John H. Mackie, who has been on trial for a week on the charge of embezzling $2,000 from his wife's grandmother, Mrs. Jane T. Green of Madisonville, was found guilty.

Knobloch Jury Disagrees.

Canton, O., Oct. 29.—The jury in the trial of ex-County Treasurer Harry C. Knobloch, charged with embezzlement, disagreed and was discharged.

Socialists Gained Ground.

Berlin, Oct. 29.—The final figures in election show the Socialists polled 80,899 votes, compared with 59,400 in 1905. All the other parties lost ground.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO—Cattle: Beeves, $3 30@9 10; cows, $2 10@5 75; heifers, $2 10@5 75; western steers, $4 25@7 50; stockers and feeders, $3 00@5 75. Calves—$6 50@8 50. Sheep and Lambs: Native sheep, $2 50@4 15; western, $2 75@4 75; native lambs, $4 25@7 00; western, $4 50@7 00; yearlings, $4 50@5 50. Hogs—Light, $7 25@7 75; mixed, $7 30@7 92½; heavy, $7 20@7 95; rough, $7 20@7 50; pigs, $5 50@5 75. Wheat—No. 2 red, 81 2-4@1 21. Corn—No. 2, 64@64½. Oats—No. 3 white, 44@46½.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Export cattle, $6 25@7 00; shipping steers, $5 25@6 00; butcher cattle, $5 00@6 50; heifers, $3 00@5 25; cows, $3 00@4 75; bulls, $3 00@4 50; milkers and springers, $25 00@65 00. Calves—$8 50@9 00. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, $4 25@4 50; wethers, $4 75@5 00; ewes, $4 00@4 50; lambs, $5 50@6 90; yearlings, $5 00@5 25. Hogs—Heavies, $8 00; mediums, $7 95@8 00; Yorkers, $7 60@7 90; pigs, $7 50; roughs, $7 00@7 25; stags, $5 25@6 50.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $6 50@7 00; prime, $6 20@6 50; tidy butchers, $5 20@5 70; heifers, $3 00@5 00; cows, bulls and stags, $2 00@4 50; fresh cows, $25 00@55 00. Calves—Veal, $6 00@9 00. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, $4 60@4 75; good mixed, $4 50@4 50; lambs, $4 00@6 85; yearlings, $3 00@5 00. Hogs—Prime heavy hogs, $8 10@8 15; mediums, $8 00@8 10; heavy Yorkers, $7 90@8 00; light Yorkers, $7 25@7 75; pigs, $7 25@7 50.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Prime dry-fed cattle, $5 90@6 10; fat steers, $5 50@5 85; heifers, $3 75@5 50; cows, $3 25@4 50; bulls, $3 25@4 25; milkers and springers, $35 00@55 00. Calves—$8 50 down. Sheep and Lambs—Wethers, $4 00@4 50; ewes, $4 00@4 25; lambs, $4 50@6 75. Hogs—Heavies and mediums, $7 90; mixed, $7 75@7 85; Yorkers, $7 70; pigs, $7 50; roughs, $7 00; stags, $5 75@7 00.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1 23@1 25. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 62½@62½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 41½@42c. Rye—No. 2, 77½@78c. Cattle—$4 75@6 40. Sheep—$4 75@4 90. Lambs—$3 60@7 25. Hogs—$5 50@7 70.

TOLEDO—Wheat, $1 23¾; corn, 62½c; oats, 42½c; rye, 71c; cloverseed, $9 10.

MEXICAN EDITOR RIDICULES TAFT

Has All Kinds of Fun at Expense of President's Clothes.

EXPECTED MUCH FROM YANKEES

World Tour of White Squadron Led Him to Believe That Northern Executive Would Come to El Paso Meeting With Resplendent Staff and Regiment of Splendidly Dressed Soldiers—Boys In Khaki and Leggings Prove Disappointment.

Mexico City, Oct. 29.—El Kaskabel, published at Guadalajara, and considered one of the leading provincial journals of the republic, prints an account of the Diaz-Taft meeting at El Paso which is causing much comment in official circles here. The article, which is in the form of an editorial, follows:

"Remembering the excursion of the white squadron through all the seas, an excursion that cost millions of dollars and was solely an extravagance of ostenation to acquaint the world with the wealth of the Yankee, I had hoped that the executive, Taft, would bring to the frontier a regiment of soldiers splendidly dressed, a good battery of artillery and a resplendent staff, but there was indeed a contrast. While our president went adorned in his grand uniform of a general, made in Paris at a cost of 25,000 francs, President Taft wore a suit that did not seem to be his own, due to its looseness; his collar was wilted by perspiration and there was not the slightest impression of elegance. He went in a coach (it might have been one of public hire), while our president rode in a splendid landau, and then as to the soldiers, the Mexicans were in gala dress, with well-polished shoes and well-brushed clothes. Those of our neighbor were in leggings, yellow shoes, khaki clothes and, what is the forst of all, in undershirt.'

"How shall this American negligee be interpreted? Was it to make evident the freedom of the Yankee? Was it to contrast the simplicity of the opulent with the splendor of the poor? Or might it not have been to signify the little importance that they conceded to the ceremony?"

SPEAKS FOR GOOD ROADS

Railroad Magnate's Son Places Them Before Panama Canal.

Columbus, O., Oct. 29.—The principal speaker at the session of the National Good Roads congress was Samuel Hill, adopted son and son-in-law of James J. Hill, the railroad magnate. He gave promoters of the Panama canal a severe drubbing, referring to the waterway as an ornamental luxury, which is being purchased by money which should be applied to the project of improving the roads of the country. Mr. Hill said it was time the country was awakening to the importance of internal transportation. He said too much attention was given waterways and highways for transporting exports, when the true condition necessitated the best possible provision for internal transportation first. He closed with an earnest appeal for better conditions for the agriculturists who feed the 50,000,000 people living in the United States.

The congress closes this afternoon with the election of officers.

AFTER CURRY'S JOB

Friends of Lawshe Say He Would Make Good Governor.

Washington, Oct. 29.—Friends of Third Assistant Postmaster General Lawshe have brought him forward as a candidate to succeed Governor Curry of New Mexico, who has sent his resignation to Washington. Mr. Lawshe recently tendered his resignation from the office of third assistant postmaster general on account of failing health, but at the request of Postmaster General Hitchcock withdrew it temporarily.

Mr. Lawshe spent some time this summer in New Mexico in an effort to regain his health, and his friends believe that the president would appoint him if Mr. Lawshe expressed a desire to succeed Governor Curry.

MACK CORRECTS STORY

Chairman Says Harmon and Marshall Are Both Good Men.

Washington, Oct. 29. — Norman Mack says he has not repudiated Bryan. "It is too early to make any predictions about the next national campaign," he observed. "As chairman of the national committee, I can hardly go on record as a supporter of any prospective candidate. Harmon and Governor Marshall of Indiana are both big men, and their names will undoubtedly come up at the next convention."

Says Lurton Is the Man.

Washington, Oct. 29.—Judge Luke E. Wright, former secretary of war, in a letter to a friend here, announces that it is settled that Judge Lurton will be promoted to the vacancy on the supreme bench created by the death of Justice Peckham.

HIGHWAYMAN SURRENDERS

O'Brien Says He Robbed Pennsylvania Train In Lewiston Narrows.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29. — Declaring that his conscience had got the better of him and that he was tired of trying to evade the law, a neatly dressed man, who gave his name as Thomas O'Brien, surrendered himself to the police, saying he was the highwayman who, single-handed, held up the Pennsylvania express train in the wild gorge of the Lewiston Narrows early on the morning of Aug 31 last.

The manner of the man and the unusual method of his surrender has led the detective bureau to believe that he is not a fanatic. He was careful before he gave himself up to the police to find out if the policeman to whom he surrendered — Reserve Officer Black—was married. He said that inasmuch as a large reward had been offered for his capture, he wanted to give preference to "some man with a family, to whom the money will be of some use"

One hundred dollars in pennies was the result of his escapade, O'Brien declared. Of this sum, he added, all but 50 cents, which was found in his pocket when he was arrested, had been spent in the Tenderloin in this city.

California Rocked by Quake.

Redding, Cal., Oct. 29.—A violent earthquake shock occurred here. Houses trembled and sleepers were awakened. The shock is said to have lasted 10 seconds longer than the San Francisco earthquake of 1906. The quake was felt at Chico, and as far north as Grants Pass, Ore. Late reports indicate that no great damage was done.

WATERS-PIERCE TO RESUME BUSINESS

Drops Standard Affiliation to Reenter Texas.

Galveston, Tex., Oct. 29.— The Waters-Pierce Oil company, convicted as a branch of the Standard Oil trust, fined $1,800,000, which it paid, and by order of the court driven from the state of Texas a year ago, is to return. It will buy back its own property, all of which was seized by the state, and pay a high price for it. It is understood the price will be about $5,000,000, and that the company considers it reasonable, as the concern in prosperous times earned about 60 per cent per annum.

Advices have been received at the state capitol that the company has severed all relations with the Standard and has reorganized with home capital, that is, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas capital.

MRS. ASTOR'S COMPLAINT

Names Three Women In Her Suit For Absolute Divorce.

New York, Oct. 29. — It is known that the suit brought by Mrs. John Jacob Astor is for absolute divorce, and that three co-respondents are named in her complaint. Before Mrs. Astor began suit she learned that her husband had taken their son Vincent from a preparatory school in Rhode Island, and that the boy was with his father cruising on the latter's yacht. Colonel Astor and his wife, according to report, had a serious disagreement while they were in Europe last summer, and he preceded his wife to this country.

He is said to have known then that Mrs. Astor would sue for divorce, and is said to have wished to spare the young man the humiliation that would follow the announcement of the legal action.

Sign Articles Today.

New York, Oct. 29.—It will be known today just when and where Jack Johnson and J. J. Jeffries will fight to decide the heavyweight championship of the world. By mutual agreement there will be a meeting between the pugilists and their representatives at the Hotel Albany this afternoon for the purpose of talking over the important details of the proposed match, arranging a date and place for the proposed battle for signing of articles, posting forfeits and clinching the match.

THIS AND THAT

At Butler, Pa., four men were injured when a train hit an automobile at a grade crossing.

Thomas Paphas, a Greek, traveled from Chicago to Birmingham, Ala., to kill Pete Paphas, who he accused of alienating the affections of his wife.

John Price, boss at the Domestic coal mine, Wellston, O., was over come by gas and his body not recovered for several days after he was missed.

William Robinson was killed and four men injured when a train on the Tri-State Lumber company's railroad at Uniontown, Pa., ran away on a steep grade.

London suffragettes made a demonstration at the by-election in Bermondsey by throwing acid on the ballot boxes. The Unionists won a sweeping victory.

The United States court of appeals has decided that John R. Walsh, convicted Chicago banker, need not go to jail until the supreme court has passed on his case.

HOW HE WON HER.

By GRACE WORTHINGTON.

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There have been stories afloat as to how John Chandler turned the scale in his favor with a girl who had determined to marry another man. None of them are exactly correct. This one is, and when I have finished it you will know why it is correct.

John was one of those plodding, steady fellows who are often unattractive to girls. He was the only son of his widowed mother, who pinched and scrimped and saved—in short, did everything she could to give her boy an education. He was a plodding scholar and a good one. As a boy he could not do much to help pay his way, and when he was graduated from the high school everybody said what a pity that he could not afford a college education. But there was one person who did not say any such thing, and that was his little old mother. She said John was going to college, and he went.

There are always two sets of young men in college—those who are provided with the means to pay their way and those who have to work for their education. John, of course, belonged to the latter class. He was referred to by one, a wealthy classmate, as "one who blacked the president's boots." He boned for scholarships and won them. He rang the college bell and in his senior year tutored. He worked hard both at his studies and at such things as would help to pay his tuition.

But back of all this was that little white haired old woman, really too old to work, but getting on as best she could without a servant, cooking, sweeping, washing, patching, darning. These five duties were all there was to the old woman's life except when she took what she had saved to the postoffice and sent a money order to her beloved son.

So much for John and his mother. Now for the girl. She knew John had sterling worth in him, but she was ambitious—ambitious to take social rank in the world, and to do this her only way was to marry a man who possessed the means to "entertain." Arthur Leighton was the only man she knew who could fill this condition. He was twenty-one years old, an orphan with a fortune, and spent most of his time abroad. He took a fancy to the girl and wanted to marry her. In fact, she had her choice between John Chandler and Arthur Leighton. If she married John she would probably have a life of drudgery; if she married Arthur it would be a life of ease. Some people said that John would make his mark. But what can one tell about a man's future from his scholarship?

All this the girl considered. When the period came on in which John was to be graduated Arthur Leighton begged her to be married and go abroad for a wedding trip. It seemed absurd to decline. He was a pleasant, gentlemanly fellow with delightful manners. There was nothing against him, whereas John's future was a blank. True, he was to be valedictorian of his class, but there is an old saying: "What becomes of the valedictorians? How many rich men wear a Phi Beta Kappa badge?"

She concluded to go and see John graduate. As soon as that was over she would give Arthur his answer. Meanwhile she was gathering a few things such as she would require for a trip abroad.

John expected that his mother would come to the commencement exercises, but a few days before he was to deliver his oration she wrote that she had been keeping from him the fact that she had nothing to wear but a calico dress and an old straw hat that had been made over for the seventh time. She was sure he would be ashamed of her. How could he help it? John sent a peremptory order for her to come. He had reached an age where he was master.

John's oration was a great success. It was on the political condition of his country and was a masterly presentation of the dangers that beset the republic. Old men who were present looked at one another in astonishment. He finished amid enthusiasm and when handed his diploma descended from the platform, walked deliberately down the aisle to where his mother sat, laid the "sheepskin" in her lap, put his arms around her neck and kissed her.

The girl who was making preparations to go abroad as Arthur Leighton's wife sat a few seats behind the old woman in a calico dress and tawdry hat and saw the act of devotion. A sudden revulsion came over her. She determined within an instant that not Arthur Leighton, but John Chandler, should be her husband. She said nothing to either, but after returning to her home wrote Leighton that she did not love him well enough to marry him.

The step from college honors down to a beginning of life's work is a big one. The former status is in a measure fictitious; the latter is real. John Chandler instead of making an effort to win a wife hung back. He did not know that he had won the girl and needed only to speak to get an affirmative answer.

However, in time he knew that he was loved and why he was loved. But three years passed before he got his profession, years that were not unpleasant to the girl, who had always before her the picture of the son with his arms around his old mother. At last John got his second diploma. They were married, and he stepped right into comfortable circumstances.

And why is this story authentic? Because I am the girl.

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